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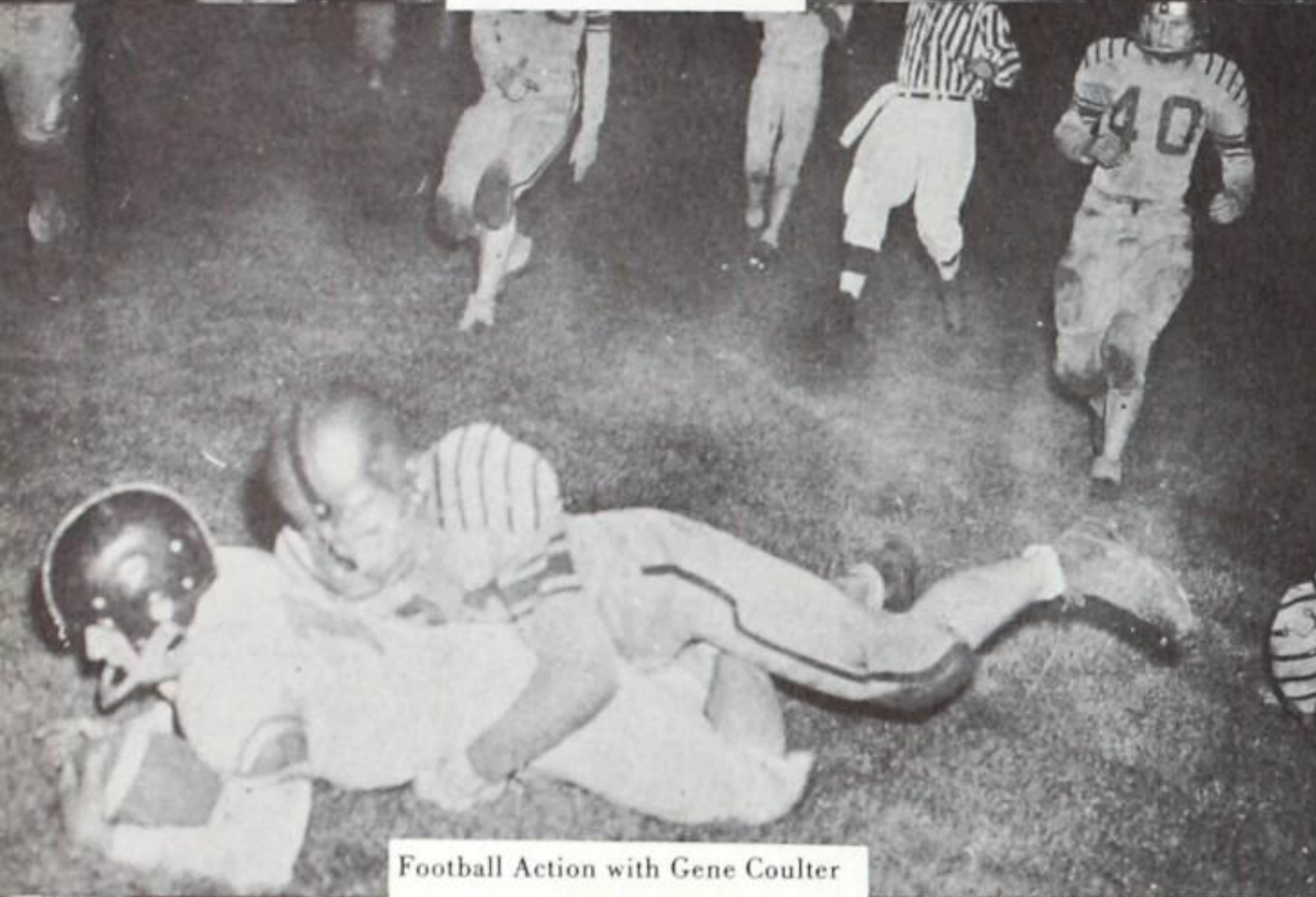
1956



Advanced Home Ec Class



Volley Ball in



Football Action with Gene Coulter



School L



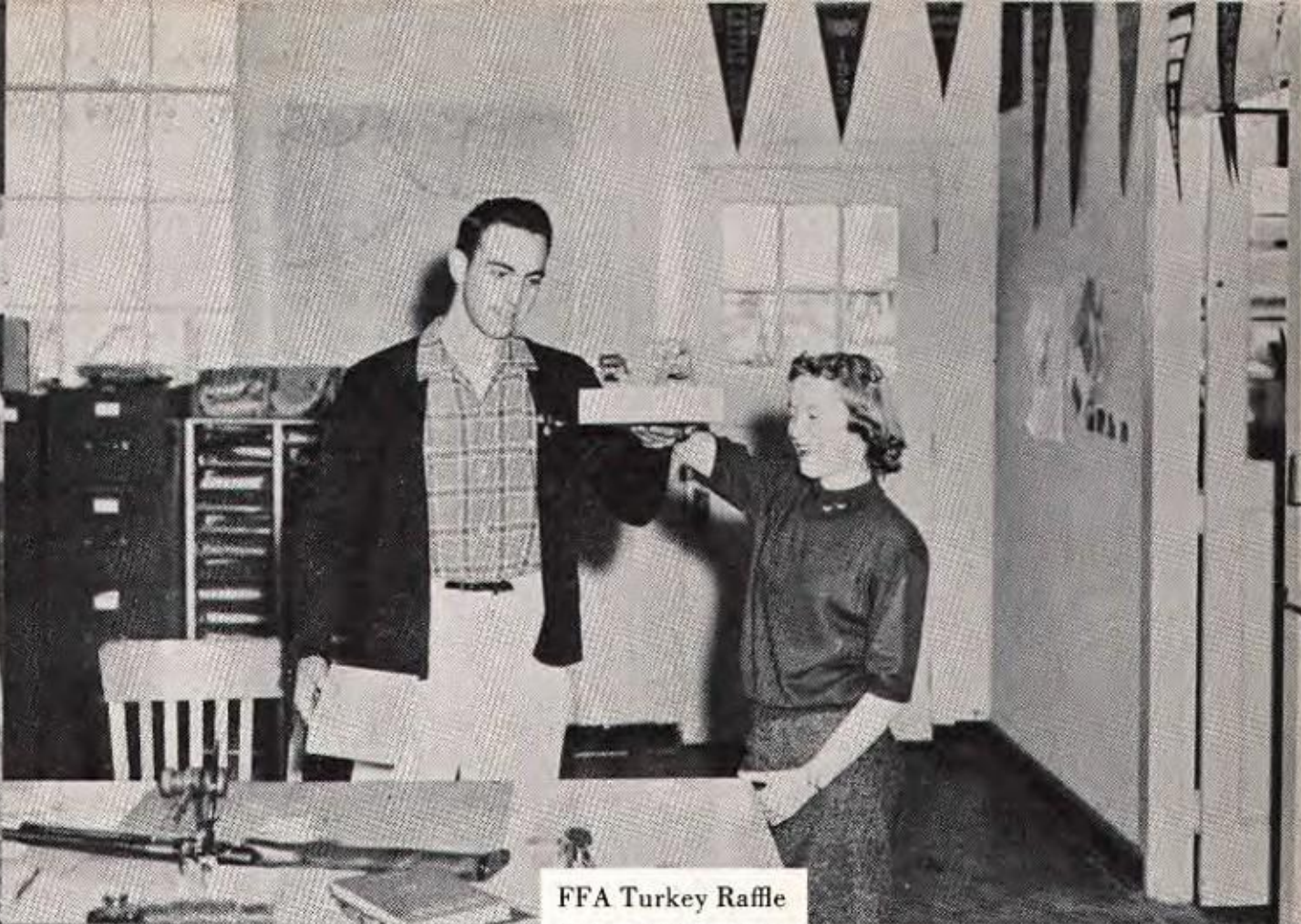
Our Pride and Joy



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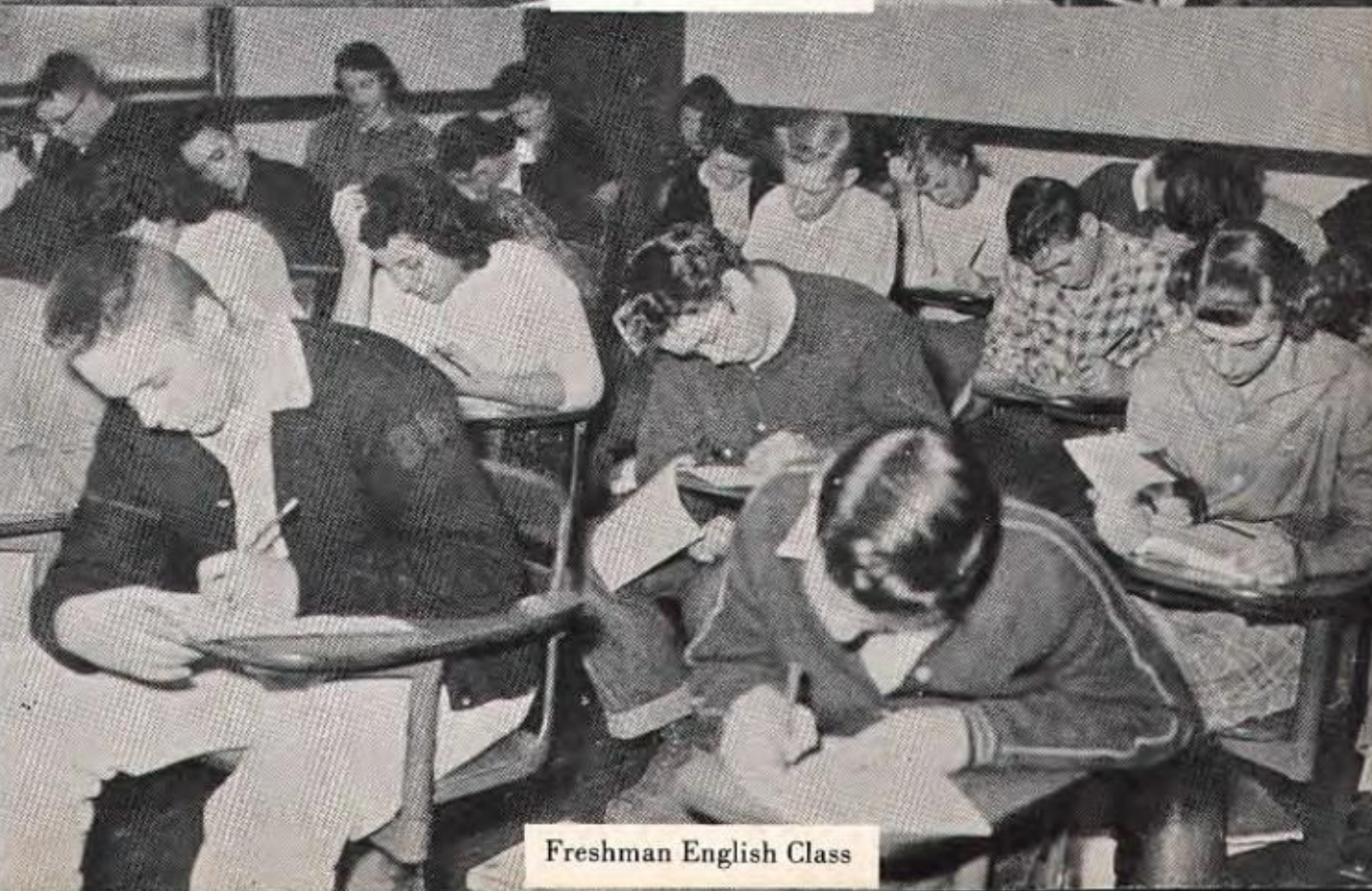
FFA Turkey Raffle



Line



Senior Play Practice



Freshman English Class

Hi!
 Good luck Cheryl
 in your future years.
 hope all your dreams
 come true!

best wishes Cheryl Anna"
 Guy Sherman

Cheryl
 good luck too
 your hair is her
 "soph" - year
 have enjoyed your
 "hawaii" with you this
 year "A Gal"
 "Jersey"
 "59"

Cheryl
 I wish you all the luck
 in the world.
 Good luck
 a very charming
 girl!
 Maureen
 59

Cheryl,
 Good luck,
 real sweet to a
 girl like you I know
 still go far in life, but
 Best of luck.
 Best of luck.
 Barrie & Dee
 Sandra
 59

Hi Cheryl
 Good luck
 to you & your family
 I hope you are
 all happy & healthy
 always!
 59

Good luck
 you and the couple
 who love you
 the best
 love
 59

*The Yelm Tornado
Of 1956*

YELM
High School

*Published by
The Senior Class
Yelm High School*

Foreword

As the years pass on, we may look back on our high school days as the best years of our lives. As we look through this annual, our own moments to remember will return to us with each page and picture. The annual staff of 1956 sincerely hopes that your annual will bring back many happy memories of your years at Yelm High. We will long remember: the members of our student body, our teachers, the games and dances, the concerts and plays, the clubs and their activities, and our classes. For all of these are a part of us as we are a part of Yelm High, and in remembrance of these moments, we publish this Tornado of 1956.

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Change -
Good luck
in the future
years at Yelm High
Many smiles

Change -
Best of luck
to a
sweet up and
coming sophomore
keep up the good
work - you're a sweet
gal.
Love Carol Bates
Carol Bates
"58"

Best of luck "tug"
Take it easy on
these Sunday night
exertions.

Connie B.



Dedication

To you, Miss Eugenia Fairbanks, the annual staff of 1956 dedicates this yearbook. As we remember our happy years at Yelm High, we will remember you, our commercial teacher, as one of those who helped to make it so. For eight years you have taught at Yelm High, you have been advisor to the paper staff and Press Club, and have done a very fine job as such. To say thank you for all you have done for us, we dedicate the Tornado of 1956 to you.

What Makes Yelm High



OUR STUDENT BODY



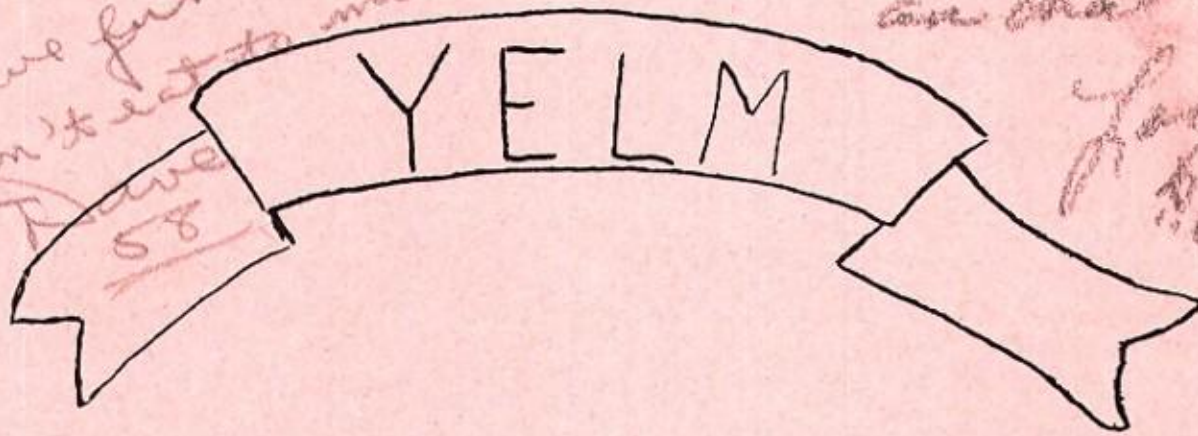
OUR TEACHERS



OUR SCHOOL

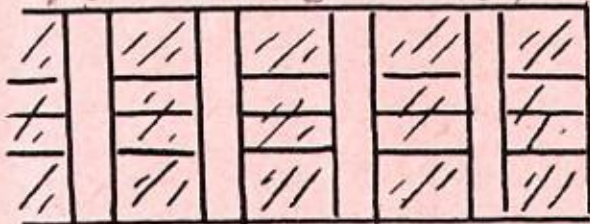
Dear Cherry!
 Good luck!
 have fun +
 don't eat too much.
 Dave
 58

Cheryl:
 Be good and don't
 blow your lip away
 on that cool temper
 (corollat)
 June
 1979



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Founded by



Dr. Parker I



YELM
 HIGH SCHOOL

Good luck to
 a swell gal, you'd
 better watch those
 basketball next time.
 See you at the tennis
 courts.
 Love
 Zennor
 Bepp

Administration

Dear Cherry
 Best of luck
 to a nice girl.
 Hope we can
 be good friends
 next year. Have
 fun in rainbow.
 You seem to be
 a good person.
 Have fun this
 summer. See
 you next year.
 Your friend,
 Donna "51"

Cheryl
I hope you
are planning to
spend the rest of
your school years at
Y.H.S. Because I have enjoyed
you as a classmate. And remember
the night at Lymichia's that Sunday
night and the night we made out
phone call
It was a
5'9"

Dear Cheryl,
It has been fun & I hope
just as much as I have been
as much as I have been
ever had a "Giant"
Giant" I hope you will
be a "Giant" too!
Love,
Cheryl

Cheryl
I scribbled in manuals
remembrance in sources
with the greatest of pleasure
I scribbled in sources
in your cellmate
Walton
5'9"
I'm glad your
in High School
Now because your
loads of fun.
Good Luck!
June

Good Luck to well
Helen the future years.
Cheryl
5'9"

Cheryl
I hope you have
much more in your
future.
Love,
Cheryl

Cheryl
Lots of luck
in 5'7" and
this year
to come
5'9"

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are planning to
spend the rest of
your school years at
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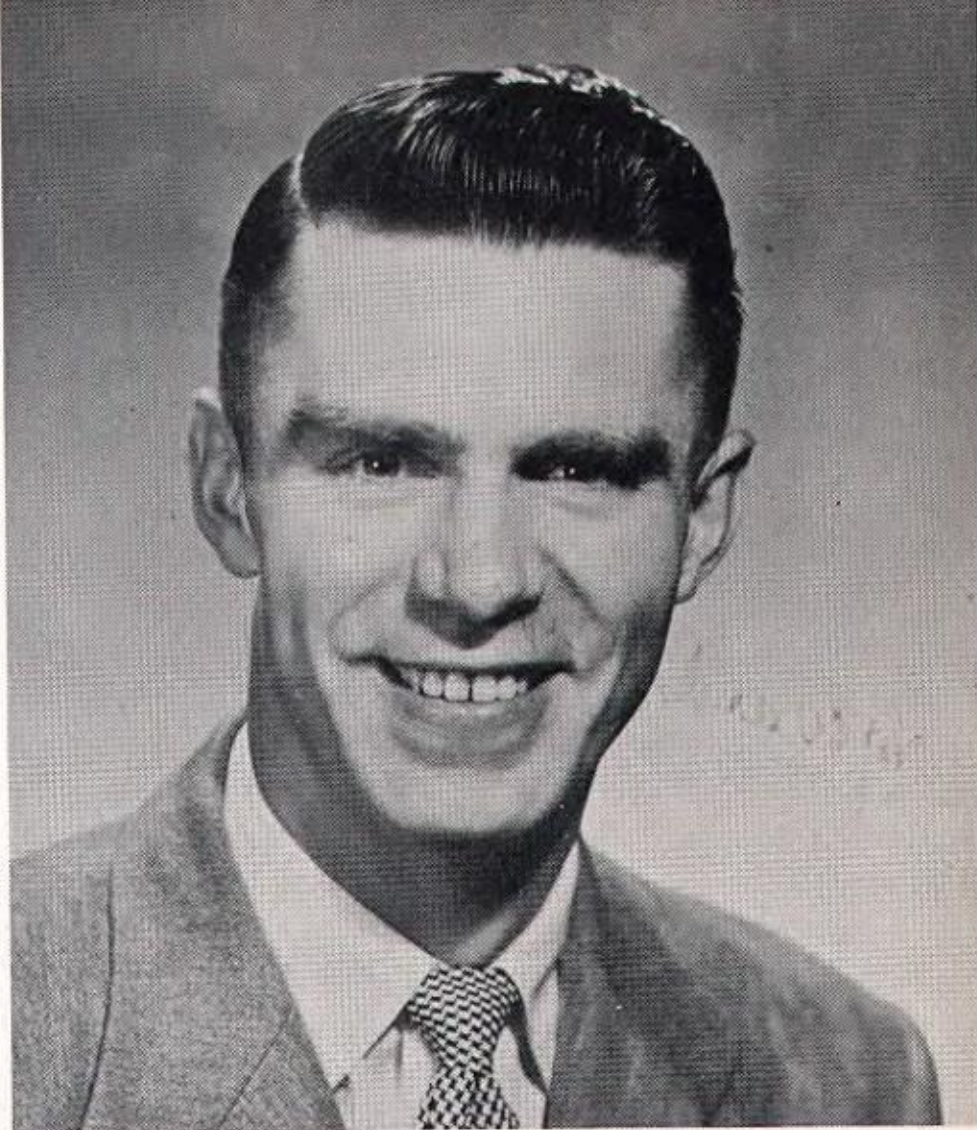


"Our educational effort has not yet been raised to the plateau of the age we live in. We must make the same order of radical change in our attitude towards national defense.

We must measure our educational effort not by what it would be easy and convenient to do, but by what it is necessary to do in order that our nation may survive and flourish. For if in the crucial years which are coming, our people remain as unprepared as they are for their responsibilities and their mission, they may not be equal to the challenge, and if they do not succeed, they may never have a second chance in order to try again."

ERNEST E. NEWLAND

Superintendent of Yelm Schools
University of Washington



"We live in an age of cooperative enterprise, which requires that one work effectively and happily with others. The impression one makes on others is therefore important to his success and advancement.

We hope that cooperation, one with the other, has been a part of your education while attending Yelm High School."

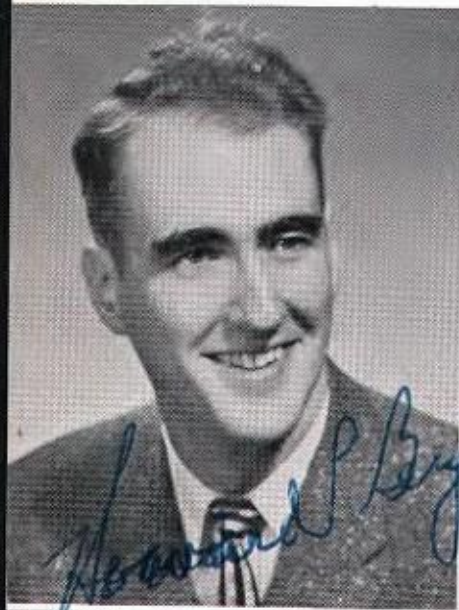
CHARLES R. MARSHALL

Principal of Yelm High School
Washington State College

School Board



From left to right: Floyd Phillips, Truman Wilcox, Kenneth Harbert, and Ralph Peoples.



HOWARD BERGER
Mathematics, Science, Drivers' Training, University of Idaho, University of Washington.

JEANNE MOSMAN
English, Girls' P.E., Drivers' Training, Washington State College.

EDGAR PRESCOTT
History, Colorado State College of Education.



JOY MORRISON
English, Drama, Art, Senior Review, Douglass College, Rutgers University.

JERRY TOMLISON
Athletics, Boys' P.E., Drivers' Training, Science, Mathematics, University of Washington, Central Washington College of Education.

EUGENIA FAIRBANKS
Commercial and Journalism Department, University of Washington.

I guess I'd better stick to teaching - Faculty since spring doesn't seem to be my line - either way, however, I'm settling down!
Joy Morrison

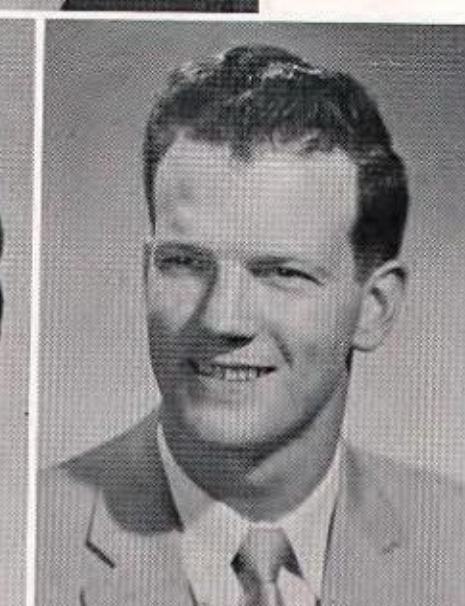
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Home Economics, Washington State College.

JEAN GRINDE
Librarian.

JAMES WAHLSTROM
Agriculture, Practical Arts, University of Washington, Oregon State College.

DAWN MARSHALL
Spanish, Washington State College.

KENNETH STEVENS
Band and Chorus, Montana State College, University of Oregon, St. Martin's College.



Hi Twins!
 We have been
 good friends and have
 had fun and hope it
 continues. you deserve
 good luck and happiness. I hope you find your
 new junior class!
 Love Mom & Dad
 "59"

Dear Cheryl,
 I've enjoyed teaching you
 in algebra this year and
 am looking forward to
 next year. W. P. Beyer

Dear Cheryl:
 I've enjoyed your
 God-motivated ways in
 class. Keep up the good
 work next year.
 Alonzo Groshong



lasses

Dear Cheryl,
 Well I sure
 could write a
 lot to you but
 there are too many
 other annuals to
 sign. I want to
 wish you just
 loads of luck in
 your Soph. years
 & for many years
 to come. Luck,
 May 58
 "59"

Don Lawton
 "59"

Hi Cheryl
 Its been late I feel
 knowing you this year.
 The best of luck in the coming
 years. Be a good girl this
 summer.
 Karen Rose
 "59"

Cheryl,
 Its 14 luck
 in the years to
 come. I could say that
 but I'd better not
 because somebody might
 read it. Love
 Bonnie

I love Cheryl
 & hope you
 have a
 great time
 & luck to you
 & family
 "59"

Have fun
 Good luck
 And all that
 the English
 would say
 "59"
 Chuck Thompson

Cheryl,
 I hope you
 have a
 great time
 & luck to you
 & family
 "59"



ED HARRISON
President



TOM MURRAY
Vice-President



SHARON PRINCE
Secretary



GARY SMITH
Sergeant-at-Arms



MR. MARSHALL
Advisor

Class History

Born in the years '38 and '39, the class of 1956 just missed being classed as war babies.

Nineteen forty-four found this group of boys and girls starting their education. and eight years' effort promoted them to the next step.

With the years of grade school past, the year of 1952 found sixty-one excited and anxious freshmen hurrying through the doors of Yelm Hi. We adjusted ourselves quickly to our new enviroment. We chose Gene Coulter class president. We held our first dance that year.

Carrying on from the freshman year, forty-three sophomores enrolled. Our selected leader was Tom Murray. "Spring Frolic" was the theme chosen for the Sophomore Hop. Dick Wood joined our group during the middle of the year.

The junior year was a busy one for all. Charlene McLaughlin presided over our class meetings. "Winter Wonderland" was the theme carried out for decorating our Prom. Ann Prince, Gerald Riedl, and JoAnn Cullens were among those who helped with the preparations for the occasion. Kathy Welch reigned queen for the evening. The class play "Crazy But Cute" was cancelled. We also found ourselves busy selling pop to raise money for our annual. Our group gained a new member, Sharon Prince.

After twelve years of hard work the class of '56 had thirty-four survivors to receive diplomas. Ed Harrison was our capable leader.

As our first enterprise we produced the play "Act Your Age." The cast consisted of Mary Radabaugh, Kathy Robinson, Richard Schneider, Margaret Pollard, Gloria Thompson, Carolyn Koeppen, Charles Dunham and Elsie Martin.

We also produced the combination, Senior Ball and Homecoming Dance; both the play and dance were successful. Eva Baker edited the school paper with Dawn Donaldson assisting her. Christine Heath and Gary Smith supervised the annual. A few of the helpers were Joyce Longmire, Winona Story, Margaret Englund, Carol Lowery and Alice Riedl. Germaine Wilcox joined us again to complete her last year with us.

Some of those who attended Yelm School for twelve years were Jim Jewell, Treva Buck, Darlene Cullens, Don Ferguson, John Ismay and Charlotte Noffsinger.



EVA MYRTLE BAKER

"Have you finished your story?"

Block Y 1,2,3,4; Thespian 1,2; Tennis Team 3,4; Press Club 3, 4; Tornado News Editor 4; Honor Society 3; Annual Staff 4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Photo Club 2,3,4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Perfect Attendance 1,2,3,4.



TREVA JEAN BUCK

"A smile that goes a mile."

Block Y 2; Thespian 2; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Chorus 3,4; Drill Team 3,4; Historian 4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Press Club 4.



EUGENE COULTER

"Meeting adjourned."

Football 3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Student Body Pres. 4; Service Club 1,2,3,4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3, 4; Class Pres. 1; Best Citizen Comm. 2,3; Student Council 1,2,4; Letterman's Club 1,2,3,4.



DARLENE ELVA CULLENS

"She must be here—I heard her laugh."

Class Treas. 1; Annual Staff 4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Press Club 4, Pres. 4; Honor Society 1,2,3; Senior Ball Court 2; Library 2.



JOANN CULLENS

"Sometimes wise, most times otherwise."

Press Club 4; Annual Staff 4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Chorus 3,4; Drill Team 4.



DAWN DONALDSON

"I don't dislike girls;

just like boys better."

Tornado News Asst. Editor 4; Annual Staff 4; Press Club 3,4; Block Y 1,2, 3,4; Sec. 2; Photo Club 3,4; Honor Society 3; Best Citizen Comm. 2; Drill Team 2,3,4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4.



CHARLES E. DUNHAM

*"What does Marlon Brando have
that I can't double?"*

Chorus 4; Tennis 3; Stage Crew 4;
Class Dance Comm. 3,4; Play Cast 4.



MARGARET JOYCE ENGLUND

"A style all her own."

Block Y 2,3,4; Thespian 2,3,4; Spanish
Club 3,4; Press Club 3,4; Honor Society
3; Annual Staff 4; Class Dance Comm.
1,2,3,4; M & D Banquet Comm 1,2,3,4;
Chorus 1,2,3,4; Paper Staff 3, Perfect
Attendance 3.



DON FERGUSON

*"I'm not very important but I hold the
universe together."*

Baseball 1,3; F. F. A. 1,2,4.



ED HARRISON

"Hold that line!"

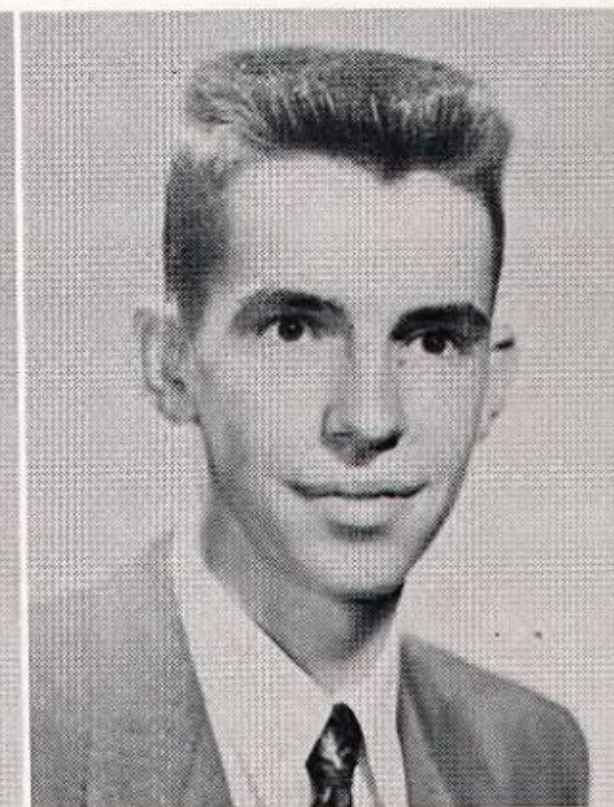
Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Base-
ball 1,2,4; Service Comm. 1,2,3,4; Play
Cast 4; Press Club 3; Class Dance
Comm. 1,2,3,4; Student Council 4;
Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Boys' State 3;
Senior Class President.



CHRISTINA MARIA HEATH

"She'll travel far in life."

S. B. Vice-Pres. 4; Co-Editor 4; Block
Y 1,2,3,4; Thespian 1,2; Photo Club
Pres. 3; Girls' Club Vice-Pres. 3; Class
Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Girls' Conference
2; Honor Society 1,2,3,4; Student Lead-
ers' Conference 4; Chorus 1,2; Student
Council 3,4; Press Club 4; Best Citizen
Comm. 3; Library 2; Candidate to
United Nations.



JOHN ISMAY

*"I've plenty of ambition, I just keep
it hidden."*

F. F. A. 1; Press Club 4; Honor
Society 1.



JAMES C. JEWELL

"Life is just one darn thing after another."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Football 2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4.



CAROL JEANNE LOWERY

"Now, students, open your books to page—."

Honor Society 1,2,3,4; Library 3; Block Y 1,2,3,4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Thespian 2,3,4; Spanish Club 3,4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Press Club 4; Best Citizen Comm. 3; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Stage Crew 3.



JOYCE MARIE LONGMIRE

"Always dependable."

S. B. Treas. 4; Block Y 1,2,3,4; Honor Society 1,2,3,4, Sec. 3; Photo Club 3,4, Sec. 4; Spanish Club 4, Sec. 4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Press Club 4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Chorus 3; Student Council 3,4.



CAROLYN SUSAN KOEPPEN

"A smile with flirtation."

Block Y 1,2,3,4; S. B. Sec. 3; Student Council 3,4; Best Citizen Comm. 3; Press Club 4; Annual Staff 4; Girls' Club Sec. 2; Honor Society 1,2,3,4; Thespian 3,4; Photo Club 3,4; Play Cast 4; Spanish Club 3,4, Pres. 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Class Dance Comm. 2,3,4; Perfect Attendance 1,2,3; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4.



CHARLENE M. McLAUGHLIN

"Personality plus."

Student Council 3,4; Perfect Attendance 3,4; Honor Society 1,2,3,4, Pres. 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Press Club 4; S. B. Recorder 3; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Student Leaders' Conference 3; Girls' Council 2,4; Stage Crew 2; Girls' Conference 2; Class Pres. 3; Sec. 1; Best Citizen Comm. 1; Junior Prom Court 1; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4.



ELSIE LAURA MARTIN

"Dance with me, Henry."

Thespian 1,2,3,4; Block Y 1,2,3,4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Press Club 4; Photo Club 4; Play Cast 4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,3,4; Drill Team 3,4; Band 1,2,4; Honor Society 1,2,3; Library 3.



ANNE PRINCE

"Dreamer."

M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Library 3,4; Block Y 2; Class Dance Comm. 1,3.



CHARLOTTE G. NOFFSINGER

"Meek but mighty."

Press Club 3,4; Paper Staff 3; Library 4; Class Dance Comm. 1; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4.



MARGARET POLLARD

"Pass on, lads, I'm taken."

Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Honor Society 1,2,3; Drill Team 2,3,4, Pres. 4; Girls' Council 1; Press Club 4; Annual Staff 4; Stage Crew 2,4.



TOM MURRAY

"Few words but deep thoughts."

Class Dance Comm. 2,3,4; Class Pres. 2, Vice-Pres. 4; Student Council 2; S. B. Sgt.-at-Arms 2; Lettermens' Club 2,3,4, Sec. 3; Best Citizen Comm. 1,2; Student Leaders' Conference 3; Honor Society 1,2,3,4, Vice-Pres. 3; Football 4; Basketball 2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Boys' State 3; Perfect Attendance 1,2,3,4; Library 3.



SHARON LEE PRINCE

"A winning smile."

Transferred from Clover Park 3. Chorus 1,2,3,4; Press Club 4, Vice Pres. 4; Annual Staff 4; M & D Banquet Comm. 3,4; Class Dance Comm. 2,3,4; Girls' Council 3; Future Nurses' Club 2; Class Sec. 4.



MARY RADABAUGH

"Quiet, please."

Press Club 4; Library 3; Annual Staff 4; Block Y 4; Spanish Club 3,4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Play Cast 4; Stage Crew 1,2; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Photo Club 4.



ALICE ANN RIEDL

"I beg to differ with you."

Block Y 2,3; Library 3; Press Club 3,4; Annual Staff 4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Pacific Slope Press Conference 3; Girls' Conference 3; Stage Crew 2,3; Per. Att. 2,3,4.



GERALD RIEDL

"Studying certainly interfered with my high school education."

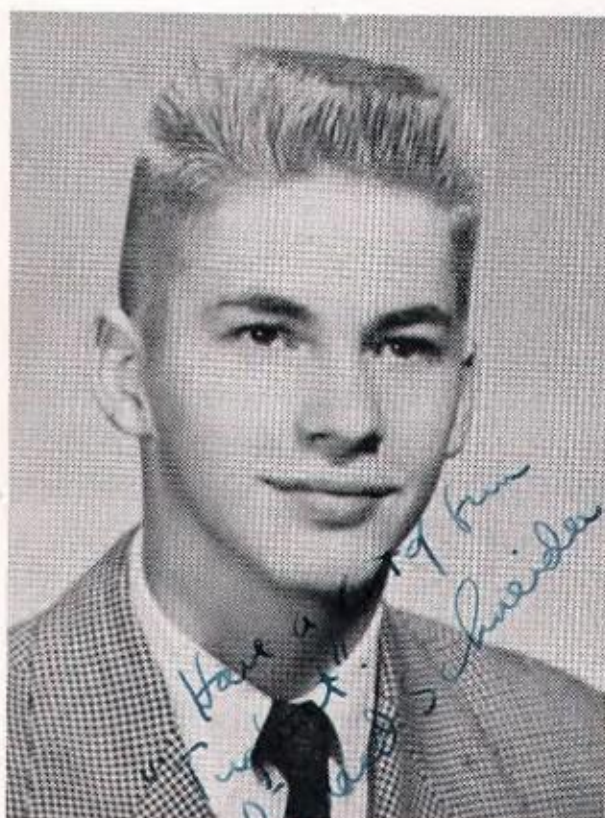
Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4, Pres. 4; F.F.A. Letter Award 3; Student Council 4; Class Dance Comm. 2,3,4; Lettermans' Club 1,2,3,4; Stage Crew 2; Senior Ball Court 2.



KATHERINE JOYCE ROBINSON

"Hold that tiger."

Thespian 1,2,3,4; Block Y 1,2,3,4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Press Club 4; Annual Staff 4; Photo Club 4; Play Cast 4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Library 2.



RICHARD DEAN SCHNEIDER

"Future executive."

Transferred from Nouasseur Dependents' 4. Honor Society 1; Basketball 2,3; Chorus 4; Photo Club 4; Play Cast 4; Class Pres. 3; Student Leaders' Conference 4; Basketball Sportsmanship Award 3; Lettermans' Club Sec. 3.



GARY SMITH

"He's short of nothing but height."

Co-editor 4; Class Officer 1,2,4; Junior Red Cross Council 1; Lettermans' Club 1,2,3,4; Press Club 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Football 1,2; Basketball 1; Baseball 1; Class Dance Comm. 2,3; Paper Staff 3,4; Service Club 1,2,3,4; Library 4; F.F.A. 1; Student Council 3,4.



WINONA AURELIA STORY

"Small but mighty."

Honor Society 1,2,3; Block Y 1,2,3,4, Pres. 4; Thespian 1,2,3,4, Sgt.-at-Arms 4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Press Club 4; Annual Staff 4; Photo Club 4; Drill Team 4; Football Queen 3; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 2,3; Library 2; Stage Crew 4; Junior Prom Court 3.



GLORIA THOMPSON

"Life of the party."

M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Class Dance Comm. 1,2,3,4; Drill Team 3,4, Vice-Pres. 3; Chorus 3,4; Class Sgt.-at-Arms 2; Play Cast 4.



KATHLEEN WELCH

"Here I am, you lucky people."

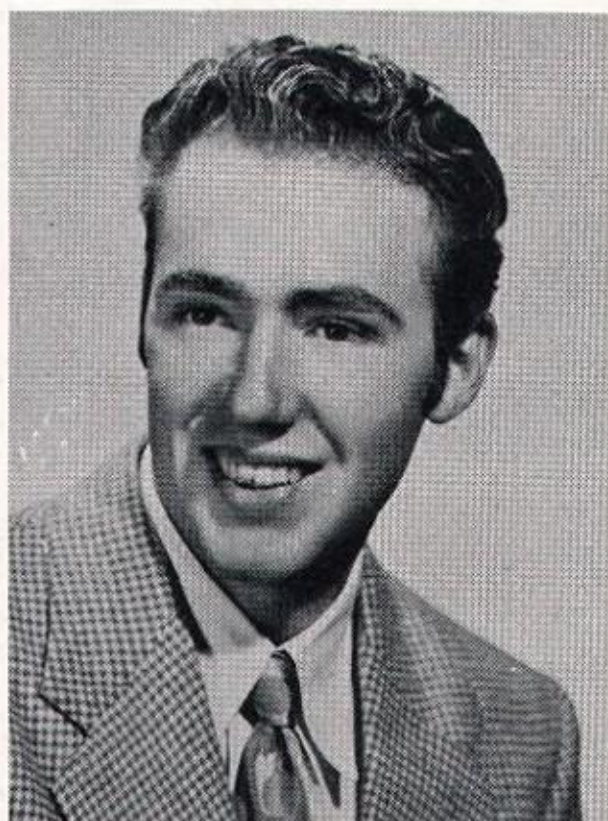
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GERMAINE WILCOX

"I talk, I laugh, and if necessary I work."

Band 1,2,3,4; M & D Banquet Comm. 1,2,3,4; Press Club 4; Paper Staff 4; Class Dance Comm. 2.



DICK WOOD

"Where's the party?"

Transferred from High Line 2. F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Attendant for the Junior Prom 3; Stage Crew 3.

Class Colors

Green and White

Class Motto

May we sail on the seas of ambition and land on the shores of success.

Cherly - 100%
spelled your
name wrong!! Be
good - And Keep house of
on playing that
yours. Love -
Mary Qadoush



Class Advisor And Officers

Mr. Wahlstrom, advisor; Lewis Smith, president; Terry Wright, vice-president; Leslie Rochester, secretary-treasurer; Clifton Coultter, sergeant-at-arms.

Junior Class



Baker, Joe
Beggs, Lenore
Brand, Marlene
Buck, Kay
Coulter, Clifton

Czikall, Marlys
Edwards, Dallas
Echtle, Edward
Fox, Duane
Gallup, Bob

Green, Eldon
Grinde, Joyce
Hendricks, Betty
Hicks, Larry
Hobart, Vern

Ingram, Donna
Isom, Patricia
Ismay, Jim
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Jolly, Dick



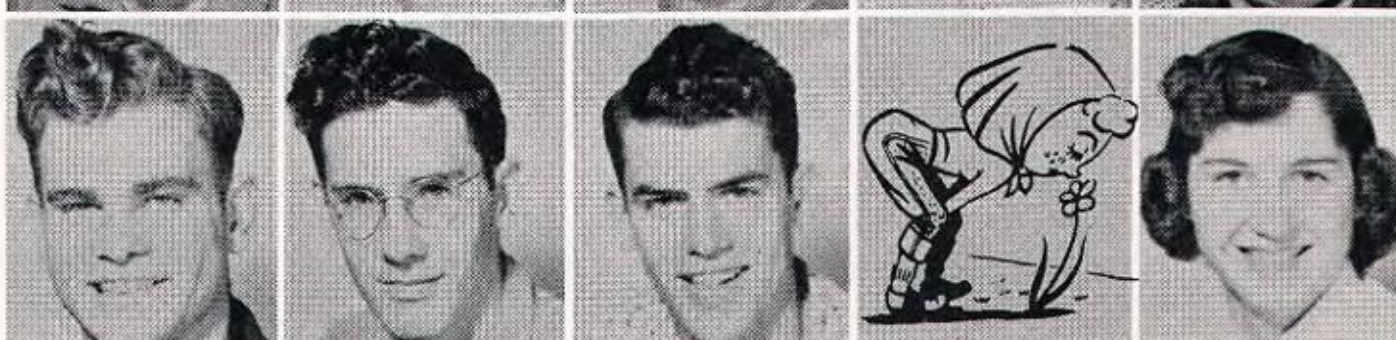
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Mantik, Mary Ann



Martin, Fred
Morris, Carol
Morris, Nancy
Peoples, Carole
Pettit, Glen



Rochester, Leslie
Shoppach, Ronnie
Smith, Lewis
Tobin, Marilyn
Thompson, Marion



Van Beck, Joan
Vandiver, Terry
Van Wey, Doris
Waller, Janet
Wheeler, Bill



Worra, Lyle



Wright, Terry





Sophomore Advisor and Officers

Mr. Prescott, Advisor; Ronnie Gallup, President; Barrie Wilcox, Vice President; Lou Ann Pollard, Secretary.

Sophomore Class



Averill, Linda
Bayne, Carol
Beggs, Gary



Bolender, Ben
Gallup, Ronald
Gould, Mike
Haggard, Janice
Heath, Alfred



Hull, Alan
Hull, Karen
Jewell, Ronald
Jones, John Paul
Jones, Raymond

Kaufman, June
Kidd, Janet
LeMoine, Michael
Lewis, Charles
Lowery, Darrell



McKown, Gregory
Meyer, Vera
Okerstrom, Donna
Otto, Larry
Parker, Dick



Pierson, Jim
Pollard, Lou Ann
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Reeder, Roy



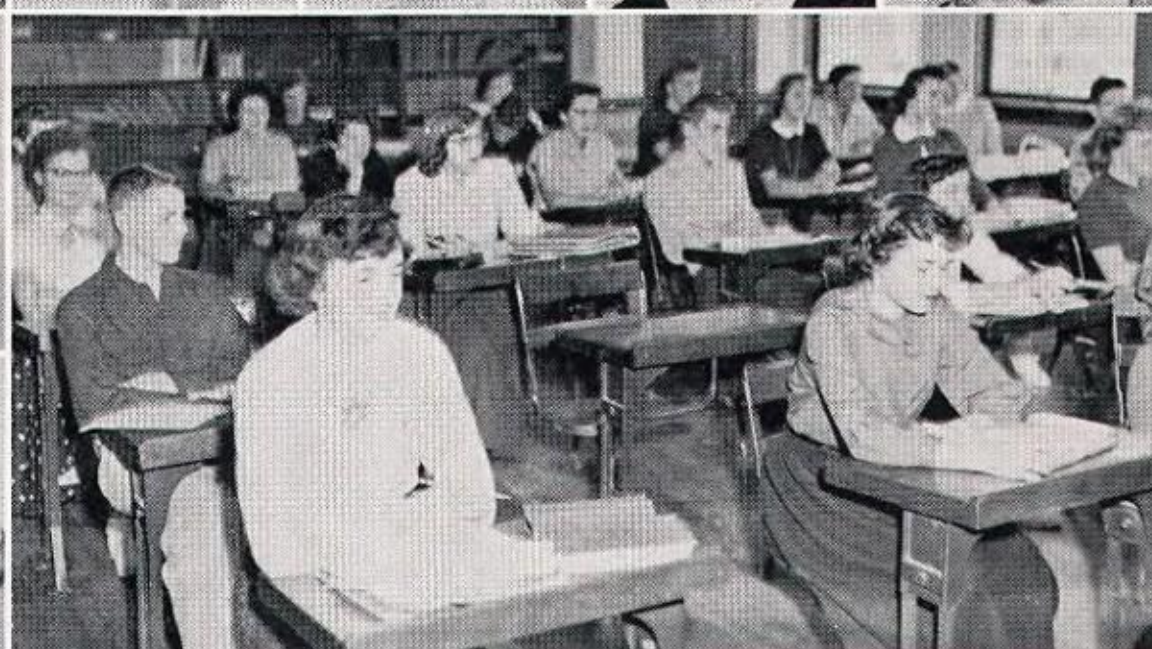
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Sherman, Guy
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Sprouffs, Mike
Tafoya, George



Turner, Linda
Wilcox, Barrie
Wilcox, Joy
Wilson, Dorothy
Wolf, David



Wright, Margaret



Wright, Marilyn





Class Advisors and Officers

Mr. Berger, Class Advisor; Sharon Kleimenhagen, President; Charles Thompson, Vice-president; Mary Waters, Secretary-Treasurer; George Coulter, Sergeant at Arms.

Freshman Class



Bergman, Jerry
Birkland, Dick
Bolender, Jennie
Brown, Cynthia
Brown, Dick



Bunnell, Ernie
Capen, Rosemary
Cease, Sandra
Coulter, Eunice
Dotson, John



Eide, Wanda
Ferguson, Frances
Fields, Marilee
Glavin, Susan
Hayes, Clarence

Henderson, Dale
Hobart, George
Ingram, Betty
Ingram, Pat
Iverson, David



Iverson, John
Jewell, Joanne
Keller, Maureen
Kelly, Lawrence
Kinney, Dennis



Kominski, Jeanne
Lawton, Don
Mahurin, Doug
Martin, Sharon
McLaughlin, Connie



Nelson, Stanley
Newland, Cheryl
Noffsinger, Charlotte
Peoples, Phillip
Raab, Judy



Raab, Larry
Rasmussen, Karen
Robison, Wilma
Rodarte, Bernice
Rodarte, Estella



Smith, Bonnie
Smith, Sharlene
Southworth, Kay
Tafoya, Charlene
Tafoya, Zeke



Trimble, Arlene

Wilson, Jerry

Wilson, Raymond





One of the money making projects of the Senior class is selling candy at the basketball games. Pictured at left are Dottee Martin and Winona Story who are putting their time in to help the annual by selling candy to Jo Ann Cullens.



Selling pop at games is one way in which the Junior class has been making money for their annual next year. Pictured at left are Joe Baker and Fred Martin who are helping their class to raise money. The Juniors also sponsored a successful Prom this year.



The Freshmen class gets a good start toward their annual with the dance which they sponsored.



Cheryl, a.
 you are a
 real nice girl.
 Good luck to a
 good luck find.
 John.

Dear Tug Boat
 Best of luck
 to one of the nicest
 ships like ever known
 Hays



Hope you have
 a very nice summer
 & practice a lot on
 that cornet so that
 "your" can play some
 "solos" next year. You have
 come a long ways. This year in
 music - so lets keep it up.
 Kim J.

Activities

Have fun
next year - live
up to your class
motto - If you remember it!
Carol Morris
"57"

In your quiet way, you are
an addition to any class. I'm
looking forward to seeing more
of you.
Jeanne Mosman

And, luck in
your sophomore
year also to a
nice girl
Sharon Martin
"59"

Lots of luck in the
future years to a
real sweet girl.
Have fun this
summer.
Rosemary Capen

Cheryl,
Best of luck to a
real swell friend.
Take good care of your
corvet next year.
See you this summer
Love - Alice

"60"
"61"
"62"
"63"
"64"
"65"
"66"
"67"
"68"
"69"
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"97"
"98"
"99"
"00"

Dear Cheryl,
Have fun this
summer and
see you
soon.
Love,
Alice



Front Row, Left to right: Carol Morris, Winona Story, Marilyn Wright. Second Row: Lou Ann Pollard, Carolyn Koeppen, Christine Heath, Karen Hull, Nancy Morris, JoAnn Kominski. Third Row: Joni Van Beek, Joyce Longmire, Carol Lowery, Pat Isom, Janet Waller, Joyce Grinde, Donna Kinney, Betty Hendricks, Mrs. Mosman. Fourth Row: Lenore Beggs, Connie Raab, Dottee Martin, Margaret Englund, Dawn Donaldson, Gloria Thompson, Lynda Averill, Carol Potts, Eva Baker.



President
Winona Story



Vice-President
Carol Morris



Secretary
Marilyn Wright

Block Y Club



President
Les Rochester

Letterman's Club

Front Row, Left to Right: Terry Vandiver, Leslie Rochester, Terry Wright, Jim Ismay, Barrie Wilcox, Lewis Smith. Second Row: George Tafoya, Tom Murray, Gary Beggs, Ed Harrison, Darrel Lowery, Ronnie Gallup. Third Row: Gene Coulter, Clifton Coulter, David Wolf, Mike Gould, Gerald Riedl, Ed Echte, Dale Henderson, Mr. Tomlinson.



Vice-President
Jim Jewell



Terry Wright





Front Row, Left to Right: Carolyn Koeppen, Donna Schneider, Joni Van Beek, Joyce Longmire, Winona Story, Donna Kinney, Dick Birkland. *Second Row:* Leland Johnson, Joyce Grinde, Lou Ann Pollard, Connie Raab, Lenore Beggs, Guy Sherman, Eva Baker, Lewis Smith. *Third Row:* Mr. Berger, Bill Wheeler, Kathy Robinson, Eddie LeMoine, Charles Dunham, Mike Gould, Richard Schneider, Mary Radabaugh, Dottee Martin, Raymond Jones.

Photography Club

Above: The Photography Club learns the methods of developing film and printing negatives. They have done a very fine job of supplying the annual staff with pictures, which were taken and developed by the Club. This group meets twice a week under the leadership of Mr. Berger.

Press Club

President
Darlene Dullens



Vice President
Sharon Prince



Secretary
Betty Hendricks



*Let's check
Cheryl he good
this summer
have fun*



President
Joni Van Beek



Vice President
Connie Raab



Secretary
Joyce Longmire

Below: The Press Club is made up of members of the "Tornado News" staff, the annual staff, and past members of either. The Club sponsors an annual banquet to which we invite the members of the Faculty and their families. Miss Fairbanks is the advisor for the club. They also sponsor a dance.

Front Row, Left to Right: Carolyn Koeppen, Betty Hendricks, Darlene Cullens, Sharon Prince, Winona Story, Charlotte Noffsinger. *Second Row:* Christine Heath, Kathy Welch, Joyce Longmire, Germaine Wilcox. *Third Row:* Eugene Coulter, Gary Smith, Margaret England, Connie Raab, Jo Ann Cullens, Alice Reidl, Mary Radabaugh, Treva Jean Buck, Dawn Donaldson, Bill Wheeler, Eddie LeMoine, Ed Harrison, Les Rodchester, Dottee Martin, Eva Baker.



Office Staff

The Office Staff is a group of efficient students who run errands and do general office work. They are under the supervision of Mr. Marshall and Mr. Newland.

First Row, Left to Right: Carol Lowery, Charlene McLaughlin, Winona Story. Second Row: Kathy Robinson, Joyce Longmire, JoAnn Cullens, Janet Waller. Third Row: Gene Coulter, Dawn Donaldson, Ed Harrison, Mr. Marshall.

Library Staff

Front Row, Left to Right: Gary Smith, Donna Kinney, Carol Morris, Ann Prince, Charlotte Noffsinger, Ray Jones. Second Row: Dick Wood, Les Rochester, Ed LeMoine, Gerald Riedl, Larry Hicks, Gene Coulter, Mrs. Grinde.



Mrs. Grinde



The Library Staff is kept busy helping and directing the students and doing general work in the library. They are supervised by Mrs. Grinde.



First Row, left to right: Mr. Walstrom, Terry Wright, Ray Wilson, Don Lawton, Greg McKown, Mike LeMoine, Ben Bolender, Zeke Tafoya, Ernie Bunnell, Jerry Wilson. *Second Row:* Clarence Hayes, Don Ferguson, Ron Jewell, Terry Vandiver, Jerry Bergman, Barrie Wilcox, Lawrence Kelly, Stan Nelson, Glen Pettit. *Third Row:* John Dotson, Gary Beggs, Philip Peoples, Dick Woods, Jim Jewell, Gerald Riedl, Ed Echtle, Alfred Heath, John Iverson.



The F.F.A. is composed of a group of boys who work together to learn better methods and operations of farming. This year they were advised by Mr. Jim Wahlstrom.

The F.F.A. was led this year by President Gerald Riedl; assisting were Vice-President Terry Wright, Secretary Barrie Wilcox, Treasurer Gary Beggs, Reporter Greg McKown, and Sentinel Clarence Hayes, (not pictured). The activities consist of F.F.A. dance, Parliamentary Procedure contest where Yelm placed second at North Thurston and third at Puyallup. The high light recreational project this year was a skiing trip to Mount Rainier in January.

Mr. Wahlstrom
Advisor





Girls' League Council

First Row, Left to right: Kathy Welch, Frances Ferguson, Charlene McLaughlin. Second Row: Nancy Morris, Kay Southworth, Donna Kinney, Marian Thompson. Third Row: Mrs. Groshong, June Kaufman, Connie Raab, Gloria Thompson, Lou Ann Pollard.

Service Club

First Row, Left to right: Gary Smith, Lewis Smith, Gene Coulter. Second Row: Terry Wright, Terry Vandiver, Clarence Hayes. Third Row: Les Rochester, David Wolf, Eddie Harrison, Mr. Marshall.



Cafeteria Staff

Front Row, Left to right: Joy Wilcox, Darlene Cullins, Charlene McLaughlin, Joan Cullins, Kay Buck. Second Row: Karen Hull, George Tafoya, Duane Fox, Joe Baker, Patty Isom. Third Row: Gloria Thompson, Bill Wheeler, Eldon Green, Mike Gould, Chuck Dunham, Margaret Pollard.



Front Row, Left to Right: Carol Morris, Kathy Welch, Charlene McLaughlin, Carolyn Koeppen. *Betty Hendricks, Christine Heath.*
Second Row: Mrs. Groshong, Carol Lowery, Joyce Longmire, Connie Raab, Karen Hull, Raymond Jones, Lewis Smith, Leslie Rochester.
Third Row: Kay Buck, Carole Peoples, Margaret Wright, Marilyn Wright, David Wolf, Tom Murry, Gregory McKown.

Above: This all-around group heads their class in knowledge, having better than a 3.00 average. Their major activity is sponsoring an annual spelling contest, which any student in high school may enter. They also sponsor a dance.

Honor Society



President
Charlene McLaughlin



Vice President
Lewis Smith



Secretary
Betty Hendricks

Drill Team

President
Margaret Pollard



Vice President
Gloria Thompson



Secretary
Marion Thompson



Below: You may see the sparkling red and black of this group's uniforms performing at almost all of our home games. They work under the leadership of the Drill Team officers, Advisor and Band Director.

Front Row, Left to Right: Treva Buck, Gloria Thompson, Margaret Pollard, Marion Thompson. *Second Row:* Connie McLaguhlin, Patty Ingram, Betty Ingram, Marilee Fields, Jo Ann Cullens, Winona Story, Janet Waller, Donna Okerstrom, Doris Van Wey, Dallas Edwards, Linda Turner. *Third Row:* Lou Ann Pollard, Connie Raab, Dottee Martin, Margaret Wright, Dawn Donaldson, Marilyn Wright, Carol Peoples, Linda Averill, Kay Buck, Donna Kinney.





Back Row, Left to Right: Lenore Beggs, Connie Raab, Kathy Robinson, Margaret Englund, Charles Dunham, Ed Harrison, Gerald Riedl, Mike Gould, Carol Potts, Alice Riedl, Dottee Martin, Mrs. Morrison. *Third Row:* Marion Thompson, Lou Ann Pollard, Margaret Wright, Karen Hull, June Kaufman, Guy Sherman, Linda Averill, Nancy Morris, Carole Peoples, Mary Radabaugh, Carol Morris. *Second Row:* Gloria Thompson, Margaret Pollard, Carolyn Keoppen, Carol Lowery, Donna Kinney, Doris Van Wey, Linda Turner, Betty Hendricks. *First Row:* Joyce Grinde, Joann Kominski, Kay Buck, Pat Isom, Dallas Edwards, Joannie Van Beek, Winona Story, Richard Schneider.

Thespian Club Spanish Club



President
Carolyn Koeppen



Vice President
Nancy Morris



Secretary
Joyce Longmire



President
Pat Isom



Vice President
Dallas Edwards



Secretary
Kay Buck

The Thespian Club is designed to promote an interest in dramatics and is open to all students. By attending three meetings and taking part in one dramatic activity a person becomes a member. Each year the Thespian Award is given to a member of the junior or senior play cast.

The Spanish Club consists of members in Spanish I and II. Honorary members are those who have passed at least one year of Spanish. Its purpose is to promote interest in foreign language. The class and the advisor determine the number and the time of the meetings.

Back Row, Left to Right: Margaret Englund, Carol Morris, Carole Peoples, Tom Murray, Lenore Beggs, Alice Riedl, Margaret Wright, Mrs. Marshall. *Second Row:* Marilyn Wright, Carol Lowery, Sharon Prince, Betty Hendricks, Kay Buck, Connie Raab, Dottee Martin. *First Row:* Carolyn Koeppen, Linda Turner, Joann Kominski, Mary Radabaugh, Nancy Morris. *Sitting:* Joyce Longmire, Gregory McKown.





Annual Staff Sock Hop



Activities of Clubs



Office Laborites



Drilled To a "T"



EUGENE COULTER
President



Student Council

CHRISTINE HEATH
Vice-President



JOYCE LONGMIRE
Treasurer



NANCY MORRIS
Secretary



STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS: Eugene Coulter, Gerald Riedl, Joyce Longmire, Ed Harrison, Christine Heath, Carolyn Koeppen, Dawn Donaldson, Darlene Cullens, Charlene McLaughlin, Eva Baker, Kathy Welch, Gary Smith, Joni Van Beek, Nancy Morris, Dallas Edwards, Pat Isom, Ronny Gallup, Donna Schneider, and Mr. Charles Marshall, advisor.



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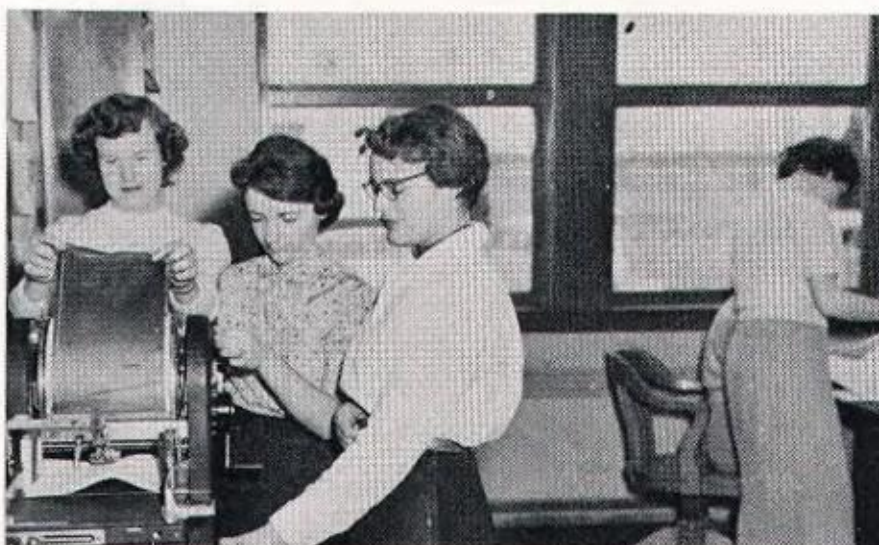
The journalism class published the school paper, the TORNADO NEWS, once a week. This is set up to create an interest in newspaper work.

The staff learns writing, stenciling, and how to work on the mimeograph and the mimeoscope. Each year the staff edits the "Little Tornado," the student handbook.

In February, four members of the staff attend the Pacific Slope School Press in Seattle.



Standing, Left to Right: Gary Smith, Dawn Donaldson, Germaine Wilcox, John Ismay. Seated: Betty Hendricks, Eva Baker and Ed Harrison.



Working on Mimeograph, Left to Right: Eva Baker, Betty Hendricks, Germaine Wilcox. Background: Dawn Donaldson and Miss Fairbanks.



Seated: Eva Baker, Dawn Donaldson, Germaine Wilcox, Ed Harrison, Gary Smith. Standing: Betty Hendricks and John Ismay.



Mrs. Morrison
Director

Senior Play Cast

"Act Your Age"

Charles Dunham.....	Commander Stone
Richard Schneider.....	Jim
Eddie Harrison.....	Gadget
Gloria Thompson.....	Cora
Margaret Pollard.....	Western Union Girl
Dottee Martin.....	Miss Stone
Kathy Robinson.....	Helga
Carolyn Koeppen.....	Gerry
Mary Radabaugh.....	Angy





Queen
Kathy Welch

Left to right: Jim Pierson, Eldon Green, Dick Wood, Lee Hill, Charlene McLaughlin, Bob Gallup, Kathy Welch, Gerald Riedl, Mary Jo LeMoine, Winona Story, Mary Ann Mantik, Connie Raab. Crown Bearers: Bonnie Lowery, Jack Tomlinson.

Junior Prom And Homecoming Dance

The theme for our Junior Prom was "Winter Wonderland". The gym was attractively decorated and a woodsey, winter-like atmosphere helped to make it a success.

Our senior ball was a Homecoming affair with an appropriate theme, "Memories". A feature of our dance was the introduction of past student body presidents.

Upon entering the gym, a short walk down memory lane began the evening of dancing and helped us to remember the days gone by.

SENIOR BALL PLANNING COMMITTEE

Back Row: Dawn Donaldson, Christine Heath, Treava Jean Buck. *Front Row:* Winona Story, Mary Radabaugh, Charlene McLaughlin, Joyce Longmire, Sharon Prince.



Music Department

Band

Mr. Stevens



FIRST ROW: Dave Wolf, Mary Waters, Wilma Robinson, Doug Mahurin, Pat Isom, Guy Sherman, Alice Riedl, Cheryl Newland. **SECOND ROW:** Lou Ann Pollard, June Kaufman, Connie Raab, Germaine Wilcox, Dottee Martin, Donna Schneider, Joy Wilcox, Dawn Donaldson, Dick Parker. **THIRD ROW:** Cynthia Brown, Don Lawton, Rosemary Capen, Sharon Martin, Kay Southworth. **FOURTH ROW:** Clifton Coulter, Eldon Green, Lyle Worra, Mr. Stevens.



Chorus

FIRST ROW: Carol Bayne, Carolyn Koepen, Charlene McLaughlin, Janet Waller, Jo Ann Cullens, Larry Hicks, Sharon Prince, Pat Ingram, Donna Ingram, Dallas Edwards, Maureen Keller. **SECOND ROW:** Marion Thompson, Joyce Grinde, Dottee Martin, Carol Lowery, Gloria Thompson, David Iverson, Susan Glavin, Vera Meyers, Doris VanWey, Janice Haggard, Betty Ingram, Mr. Stevens. **THIRD ROW:** Karen Hull, Sharon Kleimenhagen, Margaret Englund, Treva Buck, Charles Dunham, Eldon Green, Richard Schneider, Donna Okerstrom, Faye Shultz, Marlys Czikall.



Trio

Dallas Edwards, Dottee Martin, Pat Isom.

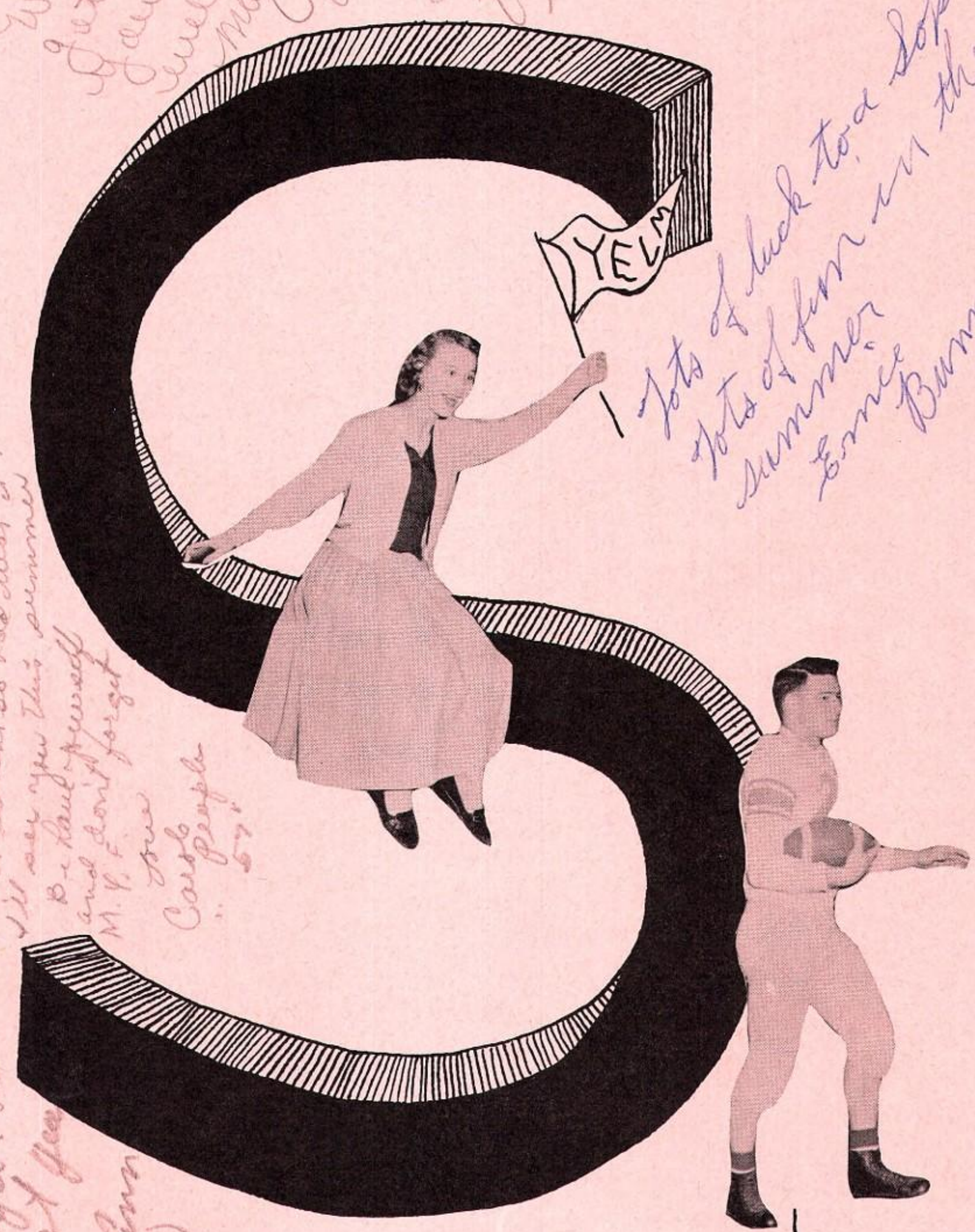


Hi gal
 Well I didn't
 get to know
 you new
 I will
 maybe I will
 try that
 best
 I have
 fun this
 summer
 Janet
 Miller

lots of luck to a Soph.
 lots of fun in the
 summer
 Ernie Bunnell

Dear Chayle,
 Well I've lived
 through six years of this school
 and it wasn't so bad was it.
 I'll see you this summer
 Be kind & say
 and don't forget
 M. V. &
 Love
 Carol
 People
 5-7-1

The best of luck
 to you Chayle. See
 you next year
 Mary Ann
 (S)



ports

Dear Cheryl,
 Hi Freshman,
 almost soph. You've
 been a real sweet
 friend all these
 time live known
 you. Remember all we
 did together & especially
 coming home from
 C. P. S. and the car
 ditch.

Cheryl,
 I've really enjoyed
 being in a Freshman
 class with you. I've
 enjoyed you for
 years of '55" & '56"
 I hope I have as
 much fun with you as
 as I did this year.
 Love,
 Marylyn
 '58"

Cheryl,
 I've really enjoyed
 being in a Freshman
 class with you. I've
 enjoyed you for
 years of '55" & '56"
 I hope I have as
 much fun with you as
 as I did this year.
 Love,
 Marylyn
 '58"

Cheryl, I Friend
 Love,
 Marylyn
 '58"

Cheryl,
 Best of luck to a
 future tennis star
 keep practicing & you'll
 make some
 Betty
 Shivers

Dear Cheryl,
 I hope you had lots
 of fun with you as
 you and I have known
 that way. Good luck in the
 future to a sweet gal.
 Love,
 Marylyn
 '58"



Pat Isom



Lenore Beggs



Joyce Grinde

Yell Leaders

As your yell-leaders, we Pat Isom, Joyce Grinde, and Lenore Beggs would like to express our sincere appreciation to those students who have cooperated and yelled with us this past year at our games and pep assemblies. We have enjoyed being your cheer-leaders and hope you will all continue to support your school and its teams.



Second Team Yell Leaders, left to right: Judy Raab, Susan Glavin, Joann Jewell



First team, front row, left to right: Tom Murray, Darrel Lowery, Les Rochester, Ed Harrison, Mike Gould, Jim Jewell, Gerald Riedl. Second row: Gary Beggs, Ronny Gallup, Terry Wright, John Jones, Terry Vandiver, Gene Coulter, Cliff Coulter, Lyle Worra. Third row: George Tafoya, Dale Henderson, Fred Martin, Dave Wolf, Lewis Smith, Ed Ehtle, Jim Ismay, Barry Wilcox, Clarence Hayes.



Ed Harrison, Captain
Outstanding Player Award



Gene Coulter
Inspirational Award

1955 Football Schedule

Sept. 16	Jamboree at Fife
Sept. 23	Eatonville
Sept. 30	Federal Way
Oct. 7	Orting
Oct. 14	Vashon
Oct. 21	White River
Oct. 28	Bethel
Nov. 4	Fife
Nov. 23	Peninsula

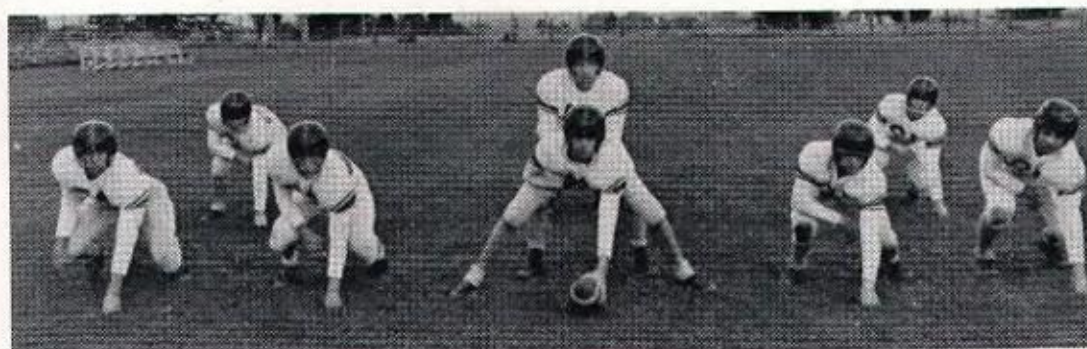


Coach Tomlinson

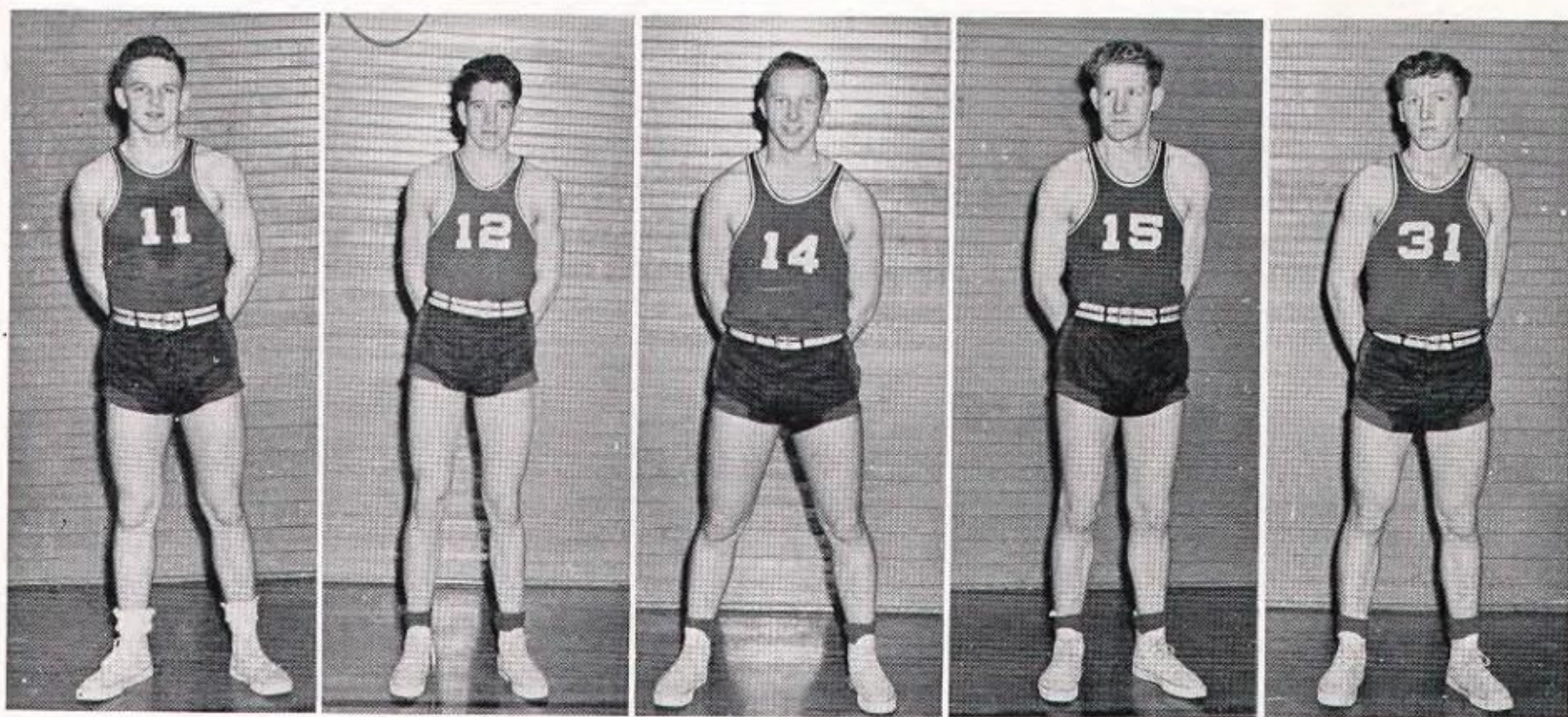
Stay just
as you are &
be good to your
folks - Good luck
Coach



Second team, front row, left to right: Fred Martin, Gregory McKnown, Ron Jewell, Ray Jones, Lawrence Kelly. Second row: George Hobart, John Jones, Dick Brown, George Coulter, Philip Peoples. Third row: Clarence Hayes, Jim Pierson, John Iverson, Mike Sprouffske, Barry Wilcox.



Basketball



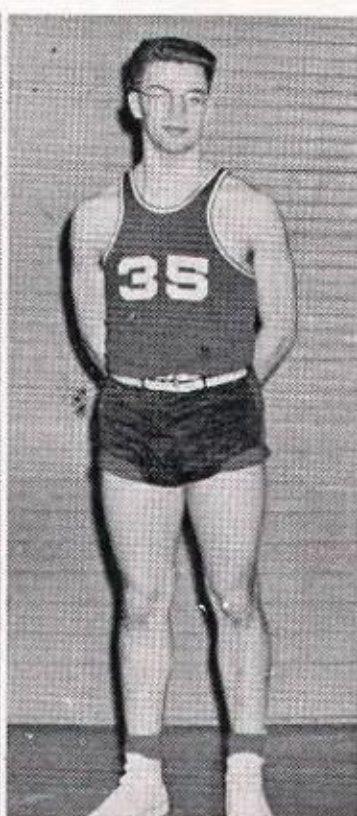
Name Clifton Coulter
No. 11
Position Guard
Height 5-10
Weight 160
Class Junior

Name David Wolf
No. 12
Position Center
Height 6-1
Weight 155
Class Sophomore

Name Terry Vandiver
No. 14
Position Guard
Height 5-10
Weight 160
Class Junior

Name Edward Echtle
No. 15
Position Forward
Height 5-10
Weight 160
Class Junior

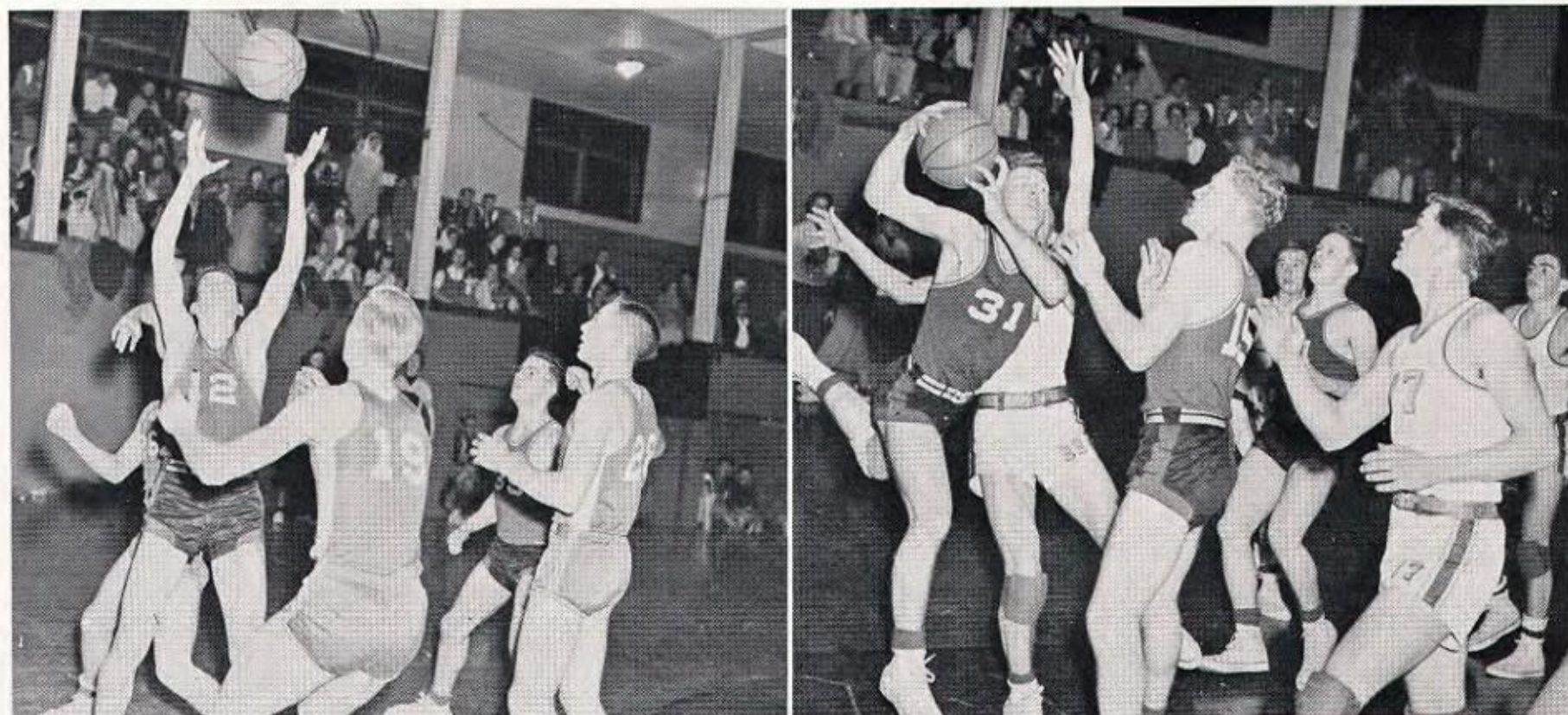
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No. 31
Position Forward
Height 5-9
Weight 160
Class Senior



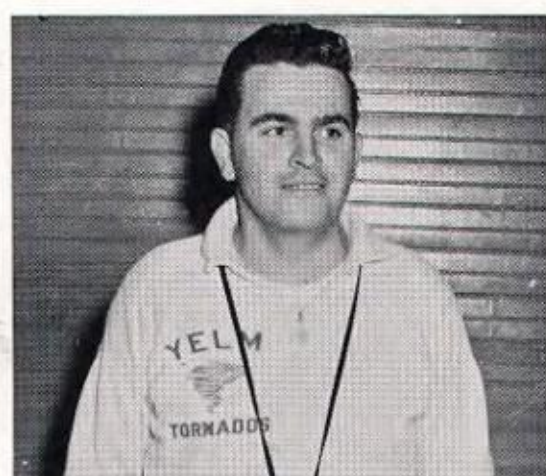
Name Les Rochester
No. 33
Position Guard
Height 5-10
Weight 155
Class Junior

Name Tom Murray
No. 35
Position Forward
Height 5-11
Weight 172
Class Senior

The students of Yelm High would like to congratulate the team and coach on the wonderful job they have done in basketball this year. We were proud of team not only because of their fine athletic ability, but also their display of good sportsmanship. As the senior basketball players finish game this year we wonder what the next year will be without them. But we see the material of a successful team for the coming years in those who have gained experience this year. The players, the cheer leaders and the rooters will remember 1956 as a most exciting year in basketball.



Left to Right; Coach Groshong; George Hobart; Lyle Worra; Jim Pierson; Mike Gould; Philip Peoples; Dennis Kinney; Lawrence Kelly; Barrie Wilcox; Ernie Bunnell; Terry Wright.



Coach Tomlinson



Managers; Raymond Wilson and Dick Brown



Captain; Gene Coulter



Front Row, Left to Right: Eldon Green, Ed Harrison, Ed Echtle, Clifton Coulter, George Hobart, Phillip Peoples, Lyle Worra. Second Row: Coach Southworth, Terry Vandiver, Lewis Smith, Joe Baker, Ernie Bunnell, Barrie Wilcox, Gerald Riedl. Third Row: John Jones, George Coulter, Dale Henderson, Tom Murray, Mike Gould.

Baseball



Coach
Mr. Harry Southworth



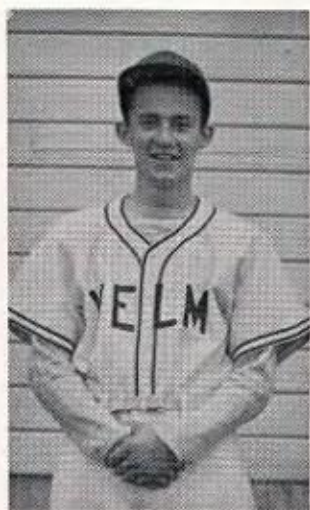
Dick Brown



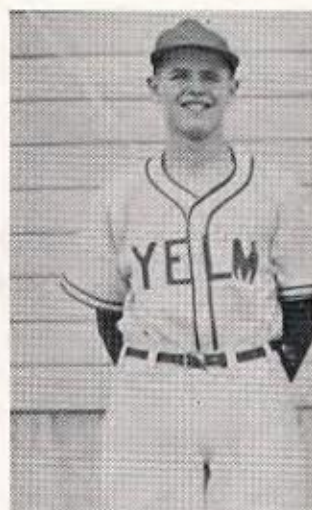
Don Lawton



Raymond Wilson.



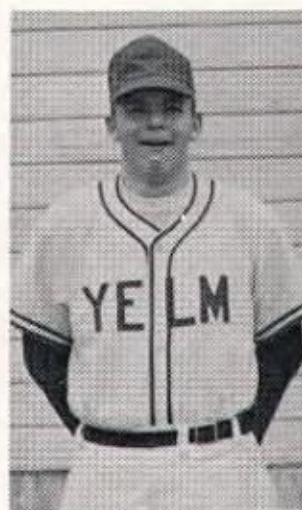
Mike Gould
Pitcher—Short Stop



Barrie Wilcox
Catcher



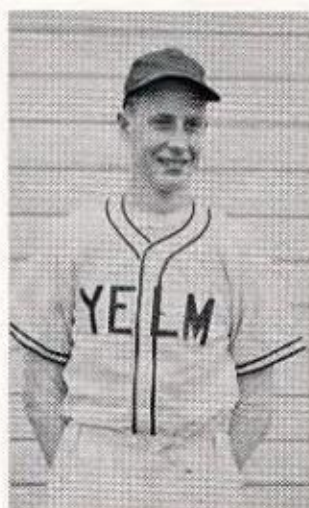
Ed Harrison
Right Field



Dale Henderson
Third Base—Catcher



Tom Murray
Pitcher—Short Stop



Eldon Green
First Base



Joe Baker
Second Base



Lewis Smith
Center Field



Lyle Worra
Out Field



George Coulter
Short Stop



George Hobart
First Base



Phillip Peoples
Out Field



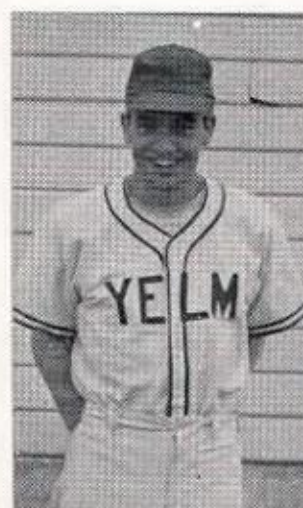
Ed Echtle
First Base



John Jones
Out Field



Clifton Coulter
Third Base



Gerald Riedl
Left Field



Terry Vandiver
Pitcher—Short Stop



Ernie Bunnell
Out Field



Left to Right: Jim Ismay, Les Rochester, Dick Jolley, Dave Wolf, Lenora Beggs, Dawn Donaldson, Eva Baker, Betty Hendricks, and Coach, Mr. Howard Berger.

Tennis Team '56



Betty Hendricks



David Wolf



Les Rochester



Eva Baker



Lenore Beggs



Dick Jolley and Jim Ismay



Dawn Donaldson



Winning Photo



Winner Receiving Prize

Snap

This year in order to obtain more pictures for the Snap pages, a Snap Contest was held. The results were gratifying. Because of the many fine entries, it was a difficult decision for the judges to make. After careful consideration Jo Ann Cullens' entry of Larry was chosen.



Initiation



Studying?????



Well, Mike!



School Picnic - 55



Lone Stranger



Bottle Baby



Big Splash



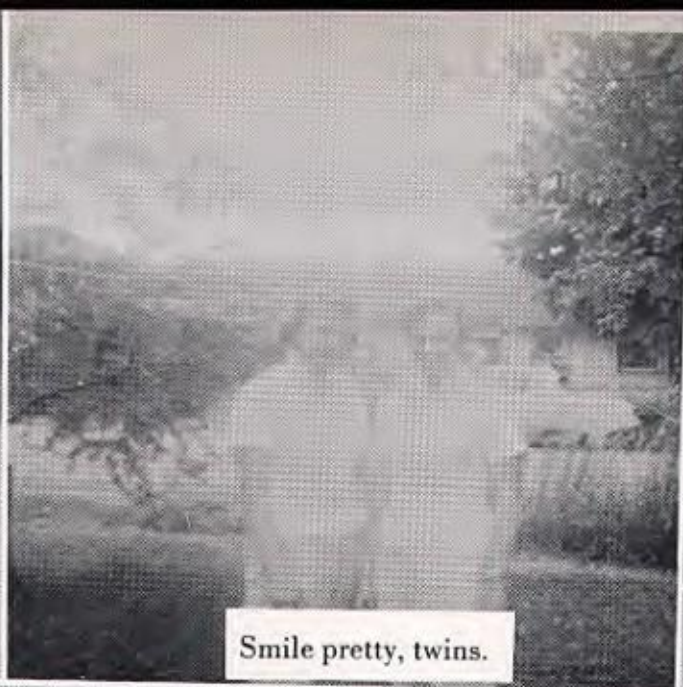
Some Seniors



Life Savers ?



Careful Nickie!



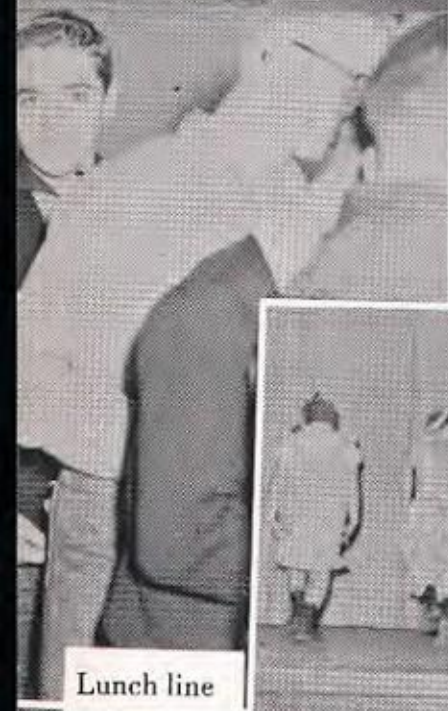
Smile pretty, twins.



Glamour boy!



Don't do it, Nancy



Lunch line



Boys' Can-Can Line



Senior Play



Mouseeee!!!



Junior Dragnet



Eat'in agin.



Get with it, Kay.



Let's go swimmin'



I pledge allegiance....



Why so glum, Foxie?



Yum! Yum!



Woof!



Fightin?

Ain't she sweet?



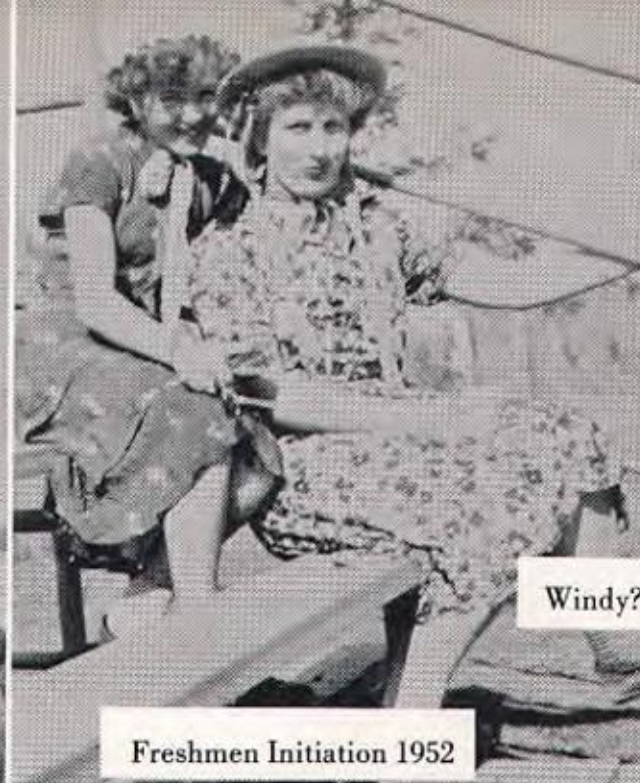
Two Livin' Dolls!



Oh!! Sharon

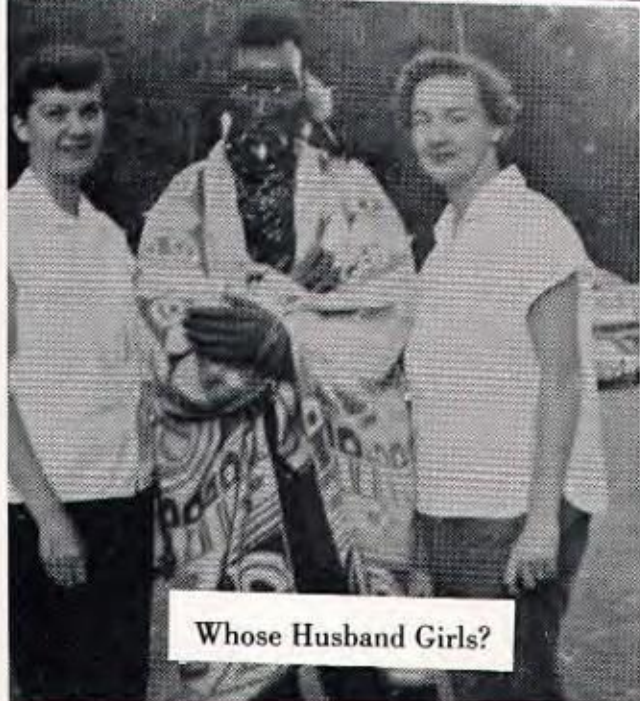


Chris on the St. Lawrence River



Windy? Bonnie

Freshmen Initiation 1952



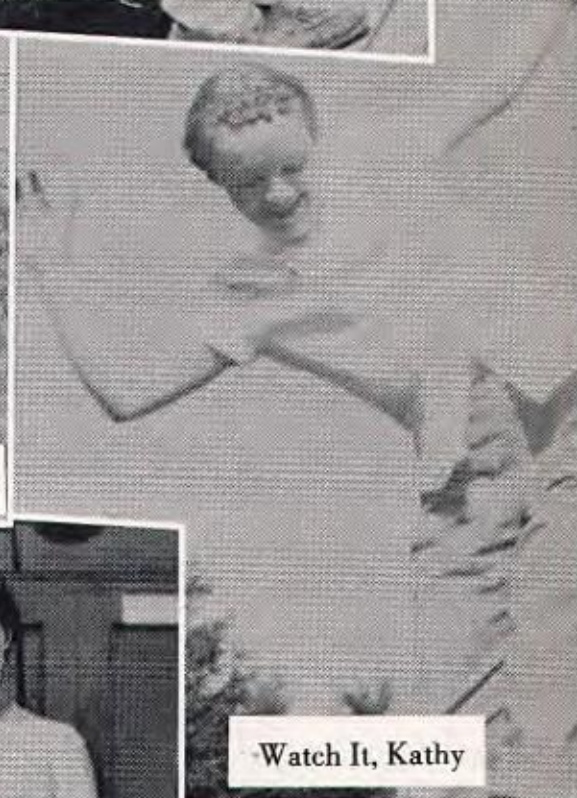
Whose Husband Girls?



Eighth Grade 1952



What Are You Doing, Jo Ann?



Watch It, Kathy



Must Be A Good Mystery, Terry



The Perfect Friendship



Dawn, I See Your Knee



Remember This, Gary?



One Senior—Two Juniors



Winona, You Are All Wet



Merry Christmas, Janet



Female On The Beach



Drill Team party?



5th Period Study Hall



Coy!



Show me the way to go home



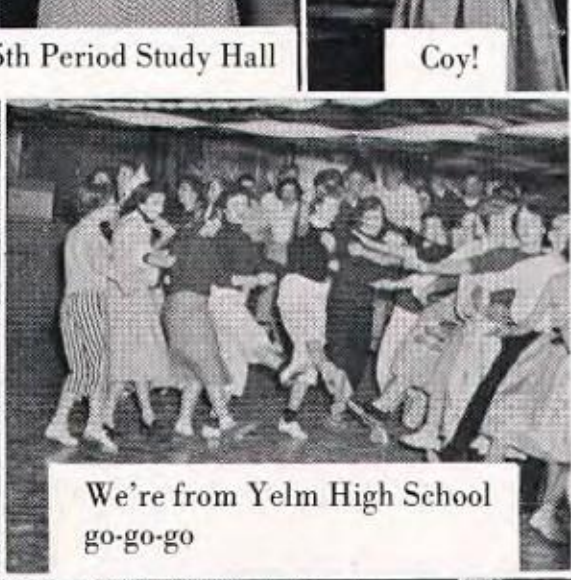
Crazy Little Mama



Dawn?



She's just a freshmen



We're from Yelm High School go-go-go



The Bunny Hop



Any clams?



The Popcorn Kid



Big Wheels



Share and share alike



The Line Up



"Cause You're My Lover"



Do you drink that stuff Carol?



Choke him Berger!!



"It's almost tomorrow"



Alice Riedl



She's Engaged



Janet Waller



This is study hall?



La-te-ta



Alfred, the fish



The New Look



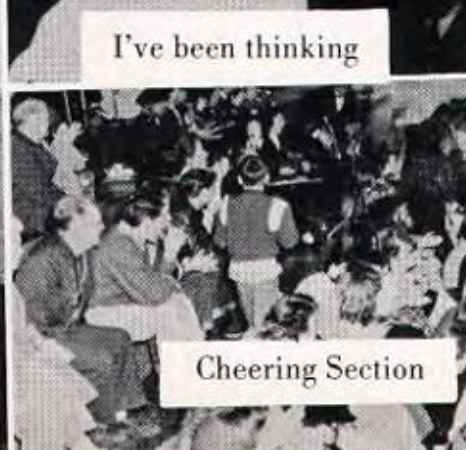
Mail - Bag



Who Me?



Laugh, I thought I'd die.



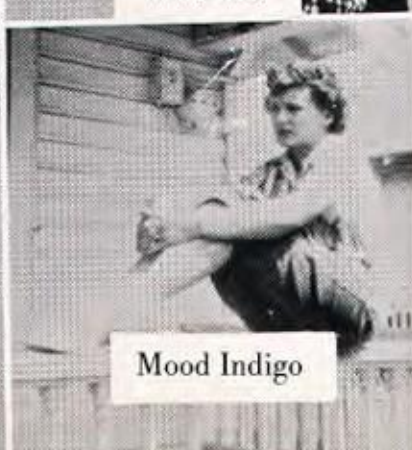
Cheering Section



Rah! Rah!



Side By Side



Mood Indigo



Pal



Huh?



It's time to go home girls



Dance with me Henry



The Night Prowler



Who's driving?



Attentive assembly audience



Junior Play 54-55



Coach



Beautiful dreamer



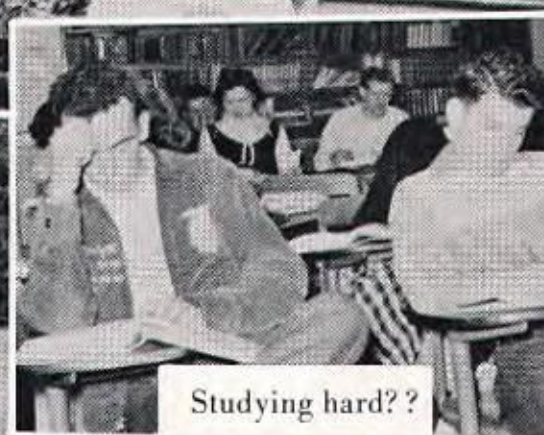
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Annual sock-hop



Three mouseketers



Studying hard??



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New style of a yell leader



Well



Fight team Fight



Junior Prom 54-55



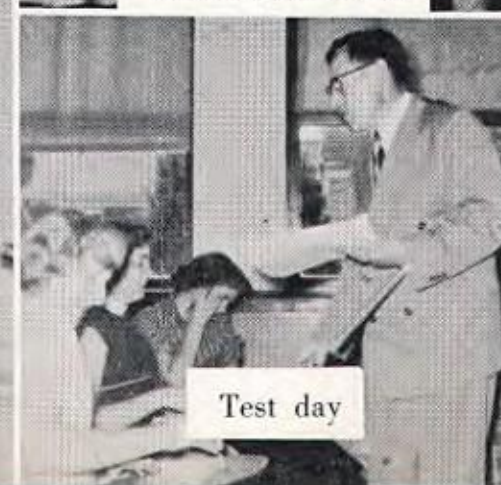
Block Y dance



Cool, Clear Water



Shop boys in (action)??



Test day



Vera



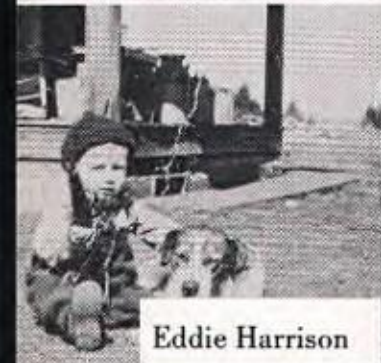
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Eugene Coulter and Gary Smith



JoAnn Cullens



Eddie Harrison



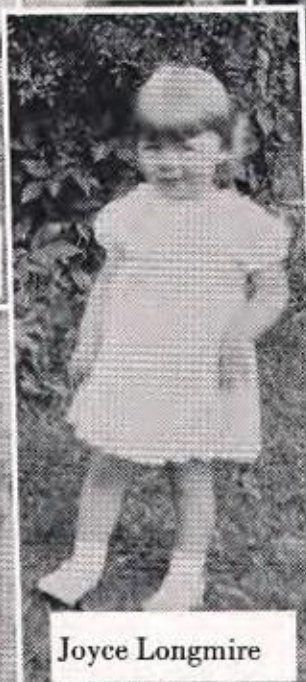
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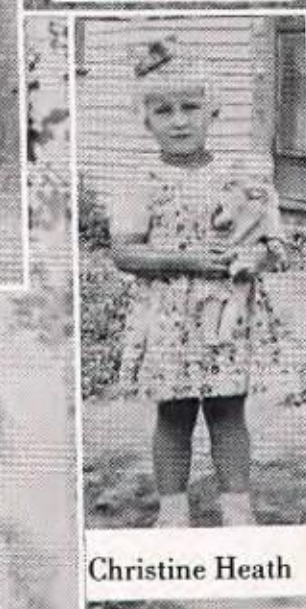
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Eva Baker and brothers



Joyce Longmire



Christine Heath



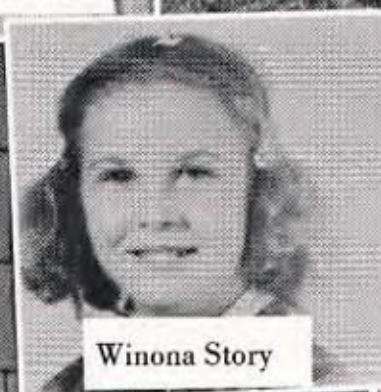
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Gerald and Alice Riedl



Eva Baker



Winona Story



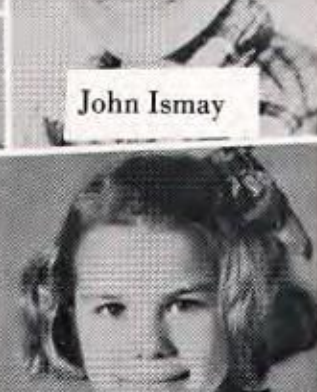
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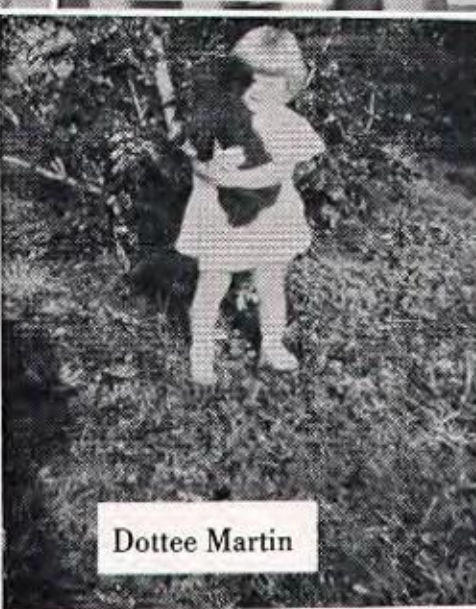
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to a real
cute ho-weevil
I sure enjoyed
knowing you
this year.
Chris*

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you will do
course, but be
good.
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The Editor Says Thank You

"As editor of the Tornado of 1956 I would like to thank the many people who have helped to make this annual possible. First of all we thank the business people who through their advertisements have helped to finance this yearbook. We hope the readers of this annual will remember to patronize these people who have supported us.

This year the editor's job has been made much easier by a very reliable and co-operative staff. Many thanks go to Charlene McLaughlin for her work on the Senior pages; to Joyce Longmire for her work on the Junior pages and help with the ads; to Carolyn Koeppen for her work on the Sophomore pages, for selling ads, and working on snaps; to Carol Lowery for her work on the Freshmen pages and selling ads; to Margie Englund for her work on the student council and annual pages, for selling ads, and working on snaps; to Winona Story, Dawn Donaldson, Eva Baker, Connie Raab, David Wolf, and Bill Wheeler for their work on the organization pages; to Sharon Prince for her work on our play and dances; to Mary Radabaugh for her work on the snap pages and the many hours she spent selling ads; to Darlene Cullens, Treva Jean Buck, and Jo Ann Cullens for their work on the sport pages; to Margaret Hoffman for her work on the faculty pages; and to Nancy Morris who has done a wonderful job as junior editor. It is my hope that the results of your work will be an annual you can be proud of.

The Photo Club deserves a great deal of credit for the annual also. They have taken and developed all the pictures for the annual this year and have done very good work. A special thanks goes to Mr. Berger, Photo Club Advisor; Eddie LeMoine, photographer; and Joni Van Beek, Photo Club President who have worked very hard for us.

To Mrs. Jeanne Mosman, our annual advisor, who has been so very patient and helpful to us; to Mr. Marshall, principal of Yelm High, who has been very co-operative at all times; to Mrs. Grinde who has let the staff work in her room whenever we wanted; and to Miss Fairbanks, our commercial teacher, who has been so helpful with our typing, and allowed us time from her class for working on our pages, we could not express our gratitude enough, for it would be impossible to edit this yearbook without their co-operation.

We would also like to thank the students who have co-operated with the annual staff, especially those who have turned in snapshots for the snap contest, as this is an important part of the annual.

As this annual goes to press it is our hope that it will remain an everlasting memento of years at Yelm High and as we read through it again and again in the years to come we will always be grateful to those who have worked so hard to make it possible. To each and everyone of you I say thanks, our annual will never let us forget you."

Christine Heath

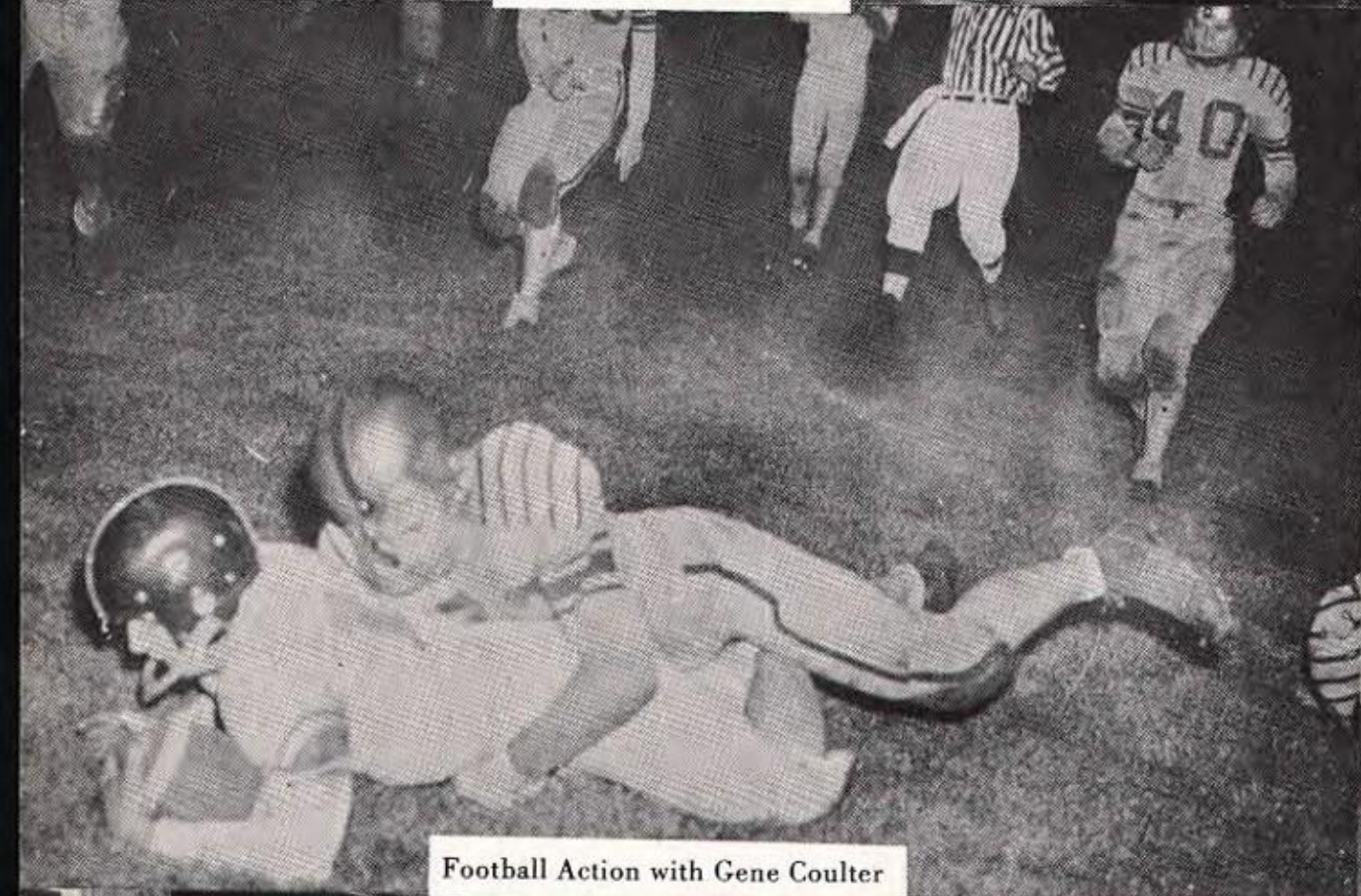
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